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## NEWS SUMMARY

### WASHINGTON.

The United States and Germany are watching development of each other's policy on the Chinese question.—Page 4.

Representative Dalzell renewed his recommendation of George L. Holliday for postmaster of Pittsburgh, and the name probably will go to the senate Monday.—Page 4.

The bribery stories of the Danes, Christmas and Gron, are denied by the governments of both Copenhagen and Washington; both Danes had applied to their government for commissions for the sale of the islands, and both had been refused.—Page 1.

### DOMESTIC.

Senator M. A. Hanna publicly announces that he is not a presidential candidate.—Page 1.

Mississippi, Alabama and other gulf states suffer incalculable damage from high rivers and heavy storms.—Page 1.

Lowell, Mass., mill owners close their mills because of threatened strike, 10,000 operatives being locked out.—Page 2.

Senator Marcus A. Hanna, in a letter to C. W. Croty of Tomah, Wis., states that he is in no sense a candidate for the presidential nomination in 1904.—Page 1.

### FOREIGN.

A Bulgarian post was attacked by Turkish soldiers Thursday and one man killed. The sultan's government has ordered out 20,000 irregulars.—Page 3.

British capture 179 Boers, including two officers, near Kierksdorp. Over 100 Boers escape through gaps in the British lines after a running fight.—Page 3.

The arrangements for the public funeral services over the body of Cecil Rhodes have been completed; the body will lie in state in the parliament building at Cape Town.—Page 3.

### PENNSYLVANIA.

Chaos reigned yesterday morning at Fayette City after a fire Thursday night which did much damage.—Page 3.

Fifteen men made a desperate break for liberty in the jail at Clarksburg, W. Va., but the attempt was frustrated.—Page 3.

The refusal of L. W. Robinson to sign the miners' scale may cause a strike in the properties of the Rochester and Pittsburgh Coal and Iron Company.—Page 3.

### LOCAL.

County organization men have framed a new harmony platform and have submitted it to Quay.—Page 1.

Splendid display of Easter bloom confronts buyers, but prices are higher than usual.—Page 7.

Pittsburghers holding options on 200,000 acres of Mexican timber lands will expend $1,000,000 on the development of the tract.—Page 1.

George E. Anderson, a young deaf-mute, while being taken to Claremont yesterday, jumped to death through the car window.—Page 1.

Friends of George W. Guthrie resent the launching of the McCormick gubernatorial boom and answer Capt. John B. Keenan's Harrisburg statement.—Page 7.

Sister's appeal saves little Soho girls from punishment for the robbery of an Oakland house; the leader of the trio is 12 years old and is afflicted with spinal meningitis.—Page 4.

Discovery that Wabash contractors' camps are reeking with smallpox has spurred the city health authorities to renewed efforts toward preventing the spread of the disease.—Page 4.

Elaborate musical program and special sermons will mark the observance of Easter in the churches of the two cities; in Catholic and Episcopal churches the first services will be held at dawn.—Page 10.

Local dealers in meat declare that the rise in prices is due to the machinations of the "beef combination;" receipts at the local stock yards for the present week are much greater than those of a year ago.—Page 2.

Director William J. Holland of the Carnegie museum has announced the names of the committees that will be in charge of the coming convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.—Page 5.

Experts express confidence in the durability of steel used in the modern skyscrapers and say that if properly protected, according to latest methods, the structural iron should last for centuries without and appreciable corrosion.—Page 2.

### SOCIAL.

Cornell alumni will hold their second annual banquet at the Hotel Schenley next Tuesday, April 1.—Page 7.

Pittsburgh, through John W. Alexander, is represented in the twenty-fourth annual exhibition of the Society of American Artists, which opened yesterday in New York.—Page 7.

Mrs. William M. Graham of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting Pittsburgh, her former home, and yesterday gave a luncheon at the Schenley for Mrs. Deming Smith of Portland, Ore.—Page 7.

Pittsburgh women will attend the International Kindergarten union which meets in Boston in April to urge the acceptance of Pittsburgh's invitation to hold the next convention in this city.—Page 7.

Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Seatch of New York have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Mrs. Mabel Oakley, and William J. Moran of New York, Wednesday, April 9, at their home, Riverside drive, New York city.—Page 7.

### SPORTING.

Both President Dreyfuss and Secretary Pulliam will attend the league meeting next week.—Page 8.

The Charleston club has made a big bid for the Jeffries-Fitzsimmons fight and Fitz has accepted the offer.—Page 8.

The Little Rock winners were Pillardist, Braw Lad, Lady Curzon, Schwalbe, Censor and Aigle M.—Page 8.

The winners at Bennings were Elizabeth Moan, Blue Delft, Early Eve, Justice, Charley Moore and All Saints.—Page 8.

### FINANCIAL.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade notes an Easter trade of exceptional magnitude.—Page 10.

### TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—William Faversham in "A Royal Rival," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
GRAND—The Stock Company in "Quo Vadis," 2:15 and 8:30 p. m.
[illegible]—Mrs. Fiske in "Miranda," 2:15 and 8 p. m.
DUQUESNE—Lucille Saunders and Vaudeville, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
EMPIRE—"The Minister's Son," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
ACADEMY—Manchester's Crackerjacks, 2 and 8 p. m.

**Weather Forecast.**

Rain and colder; Sunday partly cloudy; south winds, shifting to west.

# COUNTY LEADERS HAVE OUTLINED HARMONY PLAN

## They Want Quay to Throw Over the Citizens Party and Enter Alliance With the Machine.

## RECORDER BROWN IS NOT INCLUDED IN THE DEAL

What may be termed the court house end of the old organization is trying to make a deal with Senator M. S. Quay. They want him to repudiate any friends he may have in the Citizens party, and in return the delegation to the state convention from the country districts, the members of the legislature and the congressmen are to be turned over to him. He is thinking about it.

It will be noticed that this proposition does not include Recorder J. O. Brown. While the recorder-chairman chases rainbows in the east, the men that form the major part of his supposed political assets are trying to do the best they can for themselves.

The plan has been fully outlined to Quay, but, as usual, he has not said what he will do. The men behind the proposition are simply hopeful. They are not certain that their offer will be accepted. They, however, feel pretty well satisfied that Quay is of the opinion that J. O. Brown has really nothing of value to offer in a deal.

### Leaders Are Hopeful.

This makes them hopeful that Quay will see the situation in the same light as it appears to them. So far he has heard but one end of the story.

The court house stock might depreciate greatly in value when carefully appraised.

When Former Senator William Flinn unbuckled his political harness he endeavored to put the gears on Brown. The men that teamed with Flinn reluctantly agreed to go along with Brown.

It was not long until they found that Brown was not the man for the job. They saw that he would upset the cart and dump the whole load into the ditch of political ruin. The one salvation was combination.

There was a conference of the men on the "hill" that want to continue on the payroll. Their decision was the formation of a trust to compete with the one that the recorder-chairman was endeavoring to create.

### The Original Stockholders.

Developments indicate that Recorder George M. von Bonnhorst, Register Fred W. Edwards, Deputy Register Arch Mackrell, a candidate for sheriff, and County Commissioner J. Carson Mercer, were the original stockholders. County Commissioner W. W. Murray may be in.

The court house combination decided that the first thing to do was to get Senator Quay to take stock. He was communicated with then and has been seen since he came west.

The "hill" men have in some way gleaned the information that the colonel is especially desirous of having a Republican legislature and a Republican delegation in congress.

As for the governorship they figured that he was even willing to lose this office if he could make sure of the reelection of United States Senator Boies Penrose, and be assured that many congressmen would not have to give their seats to Democrats.

### They Want to Placate Bigelow.

The courthouse wing of the old organization would like to placate Thomas S. Bigelow, but if this cannot be done they want Quay to go their way. This is a matter for the future to determine.

They ask the senator to break up the Citizens party if possible. If this cannot be done he is requested to forget any friendships he may have in the ranks of that organization.

In return for this about everything that J. O. Brown is supposed to be boss of is to be turned over to him. The delegates to the state convention from the city districts are about the only goods exempted.

The courthouse men agree to turn over the entire legislative delegation to Penrose for senator or any man that Quay may name as the recipient.

In case Elkin is still a candidate for governor they say that they will not interfere with Brown in the disposal of the delegates from the three city districts. Should Elkin be out of the running these delegates are to be turned over to Quay.

### No String to Three Districts.

As for the delegates from the Sixth, Seventh and Eighth districts, they are delivered without reservation. Those of the North Side are not counted in the inventory of "bill" assets, although the four members of the house and one senator from Allegheny appear to be included.

In the congressional districts the courthouse parties to the agreement do not appear to be counting in the city district. They, however, offer to turn in the representatives from the South Side district, which includes much country territory. Congressman John Dalzell is to be returned.

On the North Side the organization in the Seventh district is to be turned in for the re-election of Congressman W. H. Graham, or the man that Quay wants as his successor.

Quay's duty is to help elect the organization county ticket.

Should Quay be unwilling to oppose the Citizens party movement then the men of court house hill have a proposition.

### Machine Men on Citizens Ticket.

It is that Edwards be indorsed on the Citizens ticket for register, Mackrell for sheriff, Mercer for commissioner and Von Bonnhorst for recorder.

Col. Quay changed his plans yesterday and went to Beaver early in the morning. He may not return to the city until Monday.

One of his callers yesterday was Judge John B. Steele of Grensburg, who was said to be there at the request of the senator. The Westmoreland situation was discussed. It is posible that a slate of anti-Elkin delegates may be put up in Westmoreland.

Representative Patterson of Bisir was also a caller at the Quay residence.

Col. Quay declined to make any statement for publication. So far he has given no intimation where he stands on the governorship.

Thomas S. Bigelow said yesterday that he did not expect to see Quay, as he had no business with him. Mr. Bigelow also denied the report that he would be a candidate for congress in the city district.

## QUAY MAY PRESIDE.

**Philadelphia Gossip About Republican State Convention.**

PHILADELPHIA, PA., March 28.—(Special.)—Senator Penrose and President Pro Tem. of the Senate John M. Scott will be elected delegates to the Republican state convention from the Eighth ward. This was settled tonight.

There has been some talk that Senator Quay might act as permanent chairman of the convention, in which event it is not improbable, according to gossip, that Mr. Penrose would be honored with the temporary chairmanship.

## THREE PRINCES EXECUTED FOR WHOLESALE MURDER

**Noblemen in the Caucasus Accused of Killing Over One Hundred Persons.**

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, March 29.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Mail says that news has been received from Kutais, Transcaucasia, that three Russian nobles, Prince Kipinadse, Prince Valerian and Prince Zulukidse, were executed March 3 for the murder of over 100 persons.

The trials of the princes lasted for two weeks. They were the leaders of a widespread bandit organization which had terrorized the Caucasus by systematic robbery, arson and murder.

## WEALTH IN DIVORCE SUIT.

**Defendant Associated in Some of Frick's Enterprises, and Son of a Carnegie Associate.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Edwina Winters Smith today began an action for absolute divorce from her husband, Pemberton Smith. Mr. Smith is the son of T. Gulford Smith, a multi-millionaire, whose wife was a Miss Ives. T. Guilford Smith was one of the original associates of Andrew Carnegie, and for years has supervised the Carnegie interests in Western New York, northern Pennsylvania and eastern Ohio. His son Pemberton was associated with some of Henry C. Frick's enterprises. He is an expert engineer and a prominent club man.

The co-respondent named in the suit is a young woman of exceptional beauty and intellectual attainments. For a time she was employed at the head of a department in the Buffalo public library. She is now in Chicago living with relatives.

## FENCE CAUSES MURDER.

**Cincinnati Man Kills a Woman in a Quarrel—Her Maimed Husband Attempts Revenge.**

CINCINNATI, O., March 28.—C. J. Pendleton, a real estate dealer, today shot and instantly killed Mrs. Anna Baker and later was arrested on the charge of murder. The parties live on adjoining lots in the west end of the city.

They have had quarrels about a division fence. The quarrel was resumed today and Pendleton shot the woman dead. Her husband, a one-armed man, ran to her rescue too late. Pendleton fired three shots ineffectually at him. Baker, however, wrenched the revolver from Pendleton and would have shot him if there had been another load in the weapon. Neighbors held Pendleton until officers arrived.

## KILLED BY MORPHINE.

**Dr. O. S. Sargent of Boston Died Yesterday in a Philadelphia Hospital.**

PHILADELPHIA, March 28.—Dr. Orin S. Sargent, said to have been one of the most prominent and wealthy of the younger physicians of Boston until two years ago, died in a hospital here today from the effects of morphine.

Dr. Sargent came here two years ago and engaged quarters in a cheap lodging house. He was addicted to the excessive use of morphine and early today was found unconscious on the street. Last week Dr. Sargent obtained a position as salesman for a local manufacturer of surgical instruments.

## OPPOSITION VANISHING.

**Republican Committeemen Likely to Calve on Reciprocity.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.—(Special.)—Republican leaders of the house have reason today to expect that all serious Republican opposition to the Cuban reciprocity bill in the committee on ways and means will vanish and that the bill will be reported to the house by a unanimous vote of the Republican members. Chairman Payne may decide to call a meeting of the committee prior to the regular meeting day, which is Wednesday.

There now seems to be no possibility of the opposition securing enough votes to remove the duty on refined sugar. A motion to that effect was the last card the opposition had in reserve.

HURRY BACK, BILL!
HI! DID YOU DROP ANYTHING UP THERE?
WAIT A MINUTE
THIS CHOICE BUILDING LOT FOR SALE
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Moments With the Movers—Moving Day on the Hilltops.

# TRAINS LOST, TOWNS FLOODED, HOMES LEVELED

## High Rivers and Heavy Storms Do Damage in Gulf States.

## RAILWAY TRAFFIC IS AT A STANDSTILL

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

MERIDIAN, MISS., March 28.—Meridian is entirely cut off from the outside world by the flood, except that two Western Union wires are still in operation, and not a train is moving within 50 miles of the city. A fast freight on the Northwestern railroad is six feet under water and the crew is in danger of being swept away. Efforts to reach the train by boats have been futile, owing to the swift current. Two relief parties started to swim and wade streams, but nothing has been heard from them since last night.

### Many Trains Are Lost.

Eleven inches of rain have fallen during the past 48 hours. The wreck of the Alabama Southern freight near York last night, due to washing out of the roadbed, has completely suspended travel on that road and the Southern between Meridian and Selma. Two trains were lost on the Alabama and Vicksburg this morning; two lost on the Mobile & Ohio and one was lost on the New Orleans & Northeastern 20 miles south of Meridian. No trains have entered or departed from Meridian since Thursday afternoon.

### Heavy Storm Causes Great Damage.

TUPELO, MISS., March 28.—A terrific rain, wind and electrical storm passed through Tupelo and neighboring country this afternoon. It approached rapidly from the west and did considerable damage in the town. The wind was terrific and a blinding sheet of rain accompanied it. For several minutes in the height of the storm nothing but flying debris could be seen. Seventy-five negro cabins and a negro church were blown down.

### Tallahatchie Out of Bounds.

NEW ALBANY, MISS., March 28.—The rainfall for the last 24 hours and the wind for the last three hours have been extraordinary. The water in Tallahatchie river has risen five feet tonight, washing away the long bridge at the end of town. Water has risen to lofts of a dozen houses and inhabitants are on their roofs awaiting boats which are being secured for their rescue. Trains have been abandoned. Thousands of dollars' worth of damage has been done in the country, and the waters are still rising.

MOBILE, ALA., March 28.—Traffic on the Mobile & Ohio railroad in Mississippi has been seriously interfered with by the floods of the last two days. Last night a trestle 80 feet long, just south of Shuqualac, Miss., was washed out and the track is under water from Porterville, Miss., to Ironbridge, a distance of two miles.

# PITTSBURGHERS WILL GIVE MEXICO ITS OWN LUMBER

## Syndicate Has Options on 200,000 Acres of Fine Timber and Will Develop It at Once.

## INVESTMENT IS $1,000,000

A Pittsburgh syndicate, headed by C. R. Buchheit, is about to form a corporation to invest at least $1,000,000 in the development of 200,000 acres of valuable timber and agricultural land near Gomez Farias, Tamaulipas, Mexico. Options held by Mr. Buchheit for the purchase of the land from the Mexican government are being closed. A meeting of the members of the syndicate is only necessary for organization, when its operations will be put under way.

Options for purchase of this great expanse of property fix the price at the remarkably low figure of $200,000, which means $1 an acre.

The rest of the initial investment will go for sawmills, dye works, textile and paper plants and the arrangement of transportation facilities.

### Lumber for Mexico at Last.

The property lies in what is known as the Farias valley and the uplands nearby. It is heavily timbered, largely with valuable hardwoods of great variety and splendid growth. In Mexico lumber is a scarce article, and for ordinary purposes very costly. Until recently Mexico was dependent for its supply on the sparce forests of Louisiana and Texas.

Development of the property by the Pittsburgh syndicate will mean the colonization of the tract, which is now rich in a wild growth of cotton and sugarcane. In the course of a few months the tract will be covered with well-managed plantations.

The Rio Sabinas, Rio Frio and Rio Manta course the valleys of the tract. River navigation is possible to Tampico, where the bar is perhaps the finest along the entire Atlantic coast of Mexico.

### Railroad Will Be Built.

Railroad construction of 25 miles is planned to connect the productive tract with the Mexican Central railroad. Mr. Buchheit has already partly arranged for the railroad building. Silver, lead and other minerals are understood to underlie the Pittsburgh property. The timber includes ebony, cedar, mahogany, live oak, rosewood, ash, poplar and pine.

Mr. Buchheit recently organized the Fabrica de Aserrar Madera de Caballeros, capitalized at $80,000, and formed chiefly by citizens of Monterey, Mexico. This company owns 60,000 acres of timber and agricultural land along the Mexican Central railroad, near the city of Victoria, and in the same state where the new Pittsburgh syndicate will develop its tract.

### Contract for 500,000 Ties.

This company has taken a contract from the Mexican National railroad to supply it with 500,000 ties, the road now being under reconstruction to convert from a narrow to a standard gauge. This company has a lumber plant installed that is cutting, ready for market, 100,000 feet of lumber daily. Its entire output of slabs and tree tops have been contracted for at $2.65 a cord. This is to be used for fuel in the city of Victoria, nearby.

Associated with Mr. Buchheit in this enterprise are a number of citizens of Monterey, including Col. John A. Robinson, general manager of the Monterey & Mexican Gulf railroad; A. C. Knight, president of the company, and O. C. Ulmer of San Antonio, Tex.

# THREW HIMSELF FROM A TRAIN WHILE INSANE

## George Anderson, Young Deaf-Mute, Met Death in Ensuing Fall.

## WAS BEING TAKEN TO CLAREMONT AT TIME

After fully deceiving his guards by several innocent ruses, George Anderson, a deaf mute, still shackled, threw himself from a West Penn train near Ross station yesterday afternoon while being taken to the insane department of the Allegheny City home, and was killed instantly.

When the train was stopped and the body reached, he was quite lifeless. The back of his head was crushed to a pulp, his right leg broken, and his face horribly torn. The body was taken on the train, and, then to the morgue at the City home.

He lived with his parents at 534 McClintock avenue, Allegheny, and a younger sister stated last night that he was not much over 20 years of age. He had been more or less insane since he was born, and during a severe attack several years ago lost the power of speech and hearing.

### Religiously Insane.

During the last few months his insanity assumed a religious nature, which he displayed in various ways, sometimes kneeling in agonizing postures, others in a vain attempt to speak, which increased his physical troubles, and, finally, set him a raving mad. He became violent several times last week, and could scarcely be handled by his parents. They were obliged to get the assistance of neighbors at times until he became calm.

Yesterday morning he became extremely violent, and the authorities were notified. Even when he was being removed several guards were required to control him. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Anderson, parents of the dead boy, wept bitterly as he was being taken from them, but they declared that they were no longer able to control him. For some reason, which was not explained last night, the boy was not handcuffed securely, as is usual in such cases, and having succeeded in deceiving those in charge, found it easy to accomplish his designs.

### Inspector's Statement.

Inspector J. H. McChesney, who had charge of him, made this statement:

"I left the station with Anderson and got on train No. 1, at 2:25, for Claremont. I thought he was securely handcuffed with a strap around his waist and around both wrists. Near Ross station he wrote on a piece of paper to know where we were going. I told him. He wrote again that his mother had a good home and could take care of him.

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# HANNA DEPRECATES HIS BOOM.

## Ohio Senator Declines to Consider a Proposition That He Become a Presidential Candidate.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

TOMAH, WIS., March 28.—Senator Marcus A. Hanna has written a letter to C. W. Croty of this city stating that he is in no sense a candidate for the presidency in 1904, and requesting his friends to discourage any movement to that end. Mr. Croty wrote to the senator some days ago and yesterday received the following autograph reply:

"My Dear Sir: I have just received your letter of the 19th inst., and wish to assure you of my thorough appreciation of the high compliment paid me in your suggestion in reference to the nomination for 1904. I am grateful for such friendship and confidence, and will say in reply that I am not in any sense a candidate and trust my friends will discourage any movement looking toward that end. Thanking you for your courtesy, I remain, truly yours,

"M. A. HANNA."

# IT LOOKS LIKE BIG SCHEME TO BUNKO DENMARK

## Christmas and Gron Seem to Have Concocted Bribery Story After Both Had Commission Claims Refused.

## DENIALS FROM COPENHAGEN AND ALSO WASHINGTON

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]
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WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.—Though the house has determined upon an investigation of the bribery charges of Capt. Walter Christmas, who claimed to represent the Danish ministry in the earlier stages of the Danish West Indies negotiations, Secretary Hay has no intention of bringing the matter officially to the attention of the Copenhagen government.

An explanation made by the secretary today to the cabinet convinced the president and the members of his official family that there is no ground for the allegations made by the Dane. The "report" which Christmas made and which Niels Gron, his former partner, handed to Representative Richardson, is, as a matter of fact, a petition to the ministry for compensation.

### A Tip from Christmas.

The only connection of the state department with Christmas was that Christmas called upon Secretary Hay, claiming to represent the Danish minister of finance, and said Denmark was prepared to sell the islands. Mr. Hay thereupon instructed Mr. White, first secretary of embassy at London, to proceed to Copenhagen and investigate the man's statement. With the arrival of Mr. White at Copenhagen Christmas disappeared from the matter, so far as this government was concerned.

The first Secretary Hay knew of the Christmas appeal for compensation was a few days ago, when he was informed of its publication in the Danish papers. As this government had nothing to do with any commission which Denmark might pay its agents, and as the United States was not involved in the matter in any way, the secretary saw no reason for asking the president to transmit a newspaper report to the senate.

### No Credence in Bribery Story.

So far as the bribery charges are concerned, the administration places no credence in them, and is confident that the investigation will show that they are utterly without foundation. In the petition Christmas intimated that he would be able to reach Senator Hanna through C. M. Knox. Mr. Hanna said today that C. M. Knox is from Maryland and is an applicant for a consular position. Knox never mentioned the Danish West Indies to the senator.

The state department is aware that the Danish government does not intend to pay one cent of the $300,000 claimed by Christmas as his commission, so that, of course, none of that money could be used to corrupt American statesmen and newspapers.

### Denial by McKinley's Partner.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Wilbur C. Brown, partner of Abner McKinley, whose name was mentioned in connection with the Christmas charges, has sent the following letter to Representative Dalzell, chairman of the investigating committee:

Dear Sir—The papers this morning contain extracts read in congress yesterday from insidious charges alleged by one Walter Christmas in connection with the purchase of the Danish West Indies. So far as these charges relate to Mr. Abner McKinley and myself, they are unqualifiedly and maliciously false in every particular. I shall be glad to appear before your committee at any time you may desire. Yours respectfully,

W. C. BROWN.

### Repudiated by His Lawyer.

Carl Fischer-Hansen, who was attorney for Walter Christmas, the representative of the Danish government in the overtures for the purchase of the Danish West Indian islands in 1900, was indignant at the conduct of his client shown in his secret report to the Danish ministry, lately published.

"Ordinarily, legal etiquette," said he, "would prevent my speaking. But this report is so defamatory and outrageous that I feel justified in washing my hands of the whole affair."

### Christmas and Gron Turned Down.

COPENHAGEN, March 28.—The Christmas scandal is not discussed here, nor are the facts in the case published in Copenhagen, although a full account of Congressman Richardson's statements in congress was telegraphed to the semi-official news agency in this city.

**Denmark, however, has heard from both Capt. Walter Christmas and Niels Gron, who also has claimed to have acted as a Danish agent in negotiating the sale of the Danish West Indies. Each claimed a commission, but the government has refused to recognize either of them, declaring that neither was ever connected with the negotiations in the slightest degree.**

A newspaper referred to the controversy during the latter part of February, but it did not take Gron or Christmas seriously. Gron started for America soon afterward.

Dr. Deuntzer, the Danish premier, was asked today if there was any truth in the accusations of bribery in connection with the negotiations for the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States, made by Capt. Christmas. His reply was: "Entirely unknown to me."

## CLUB AGAINST GERMANY.

**Secretary Wilson Threatens to Adopt German Methods Against the Fatherland's Products.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.—Secretary of Agriculture Wilson made a statement to the cabinet today regarding the discrimination by Germany against American food products, especially meats. He pointed out that the German analysis of these food products undoubtedly are very severe, and indicated that if similar analysis are resorted to by American officials against German food products coming into the United States, millions of dollars of German goods would be shut out of this country every year.

The position taken by Secretary Wilson is regarded as a mild intimation to Germany that the present situation can not continue.

## GRIGGS MADE CHAIRMAN.

**Georgia Man Chosen to Lead the Congressional Campaign for Democracy.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.—Representative James M. Griggs of Georgia was unanimously chosen chairman of the Democratic congressional committee at a meeting held tonight.

A committee consisting of the chairman, Mr. Griggs, Representative Williams of Mississippi, Representative Rupert of New York, Representative Richardson of Tennessee, Representative Williams of Illinois, Representative Jackson of Kansas and Senator Culberson of Texas, was appointed to perfect a plan of organization for the ensuing congressional campaign and select the remaining officers of the committee, subject to the ratification of a meeting of the full committee to be held April 11.

F. H. Ossesman was elected to represent West Virginia, that state having no representative in congress.

## ALBERT T. PATRICK IS ENGAGED TO BE MARRIED

**His Boarding Mistress Is the Object of His Affections—Osborne on a Vacation.**

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 28.—The announcement made today that Albert T. Patrick, the lawyer convicted of the murder of William M. Rice, is engaged to be married to Mrs. Adelaide M. Francis, at whose house Patrick boarded prior to his arrest, is not denied tonight by either of the principals. On the other hand, Mrs. Francis refused to see callers at her house, but sent word that she would have nothing to say regarding the reported engagement until after she had consulted with Patrick. The lawyer himself, when seen in his cell in the Tombs, said he might have something to say on the subject after he had seen Mrs. Francis tomorrow.

Patrick has known Mrs. Francis, it is said, since 1892, and after his wife died, took up his residence at the Francis house, which is kept as a boarding house. His sisters, who are now with Mrs. Francis, make no denial of the engagement, which, notwithstanding the lack of confirmation, is generally accepted as a fact.

Mrs. Francis has announced that she will take up her residence at Ossining when Patrick goes to Sing Sing. She has repeatedly said since the trial that had she been allowed to go on the stand, her evidence would have had material bearing on the defense.

Assistant District Attorney Osborne will sail tomorow on the Campania for England, where he expects to spend about a month on vacation.

## LOCKOUT AT AN END.

**Cincinnati Brewers Reach an Agreement and Take Back Nearly All Their Old Men.**

CINCINNATI, O., March 28.—The Brewers' exchange of this city today telegraphed President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor at Chicago as follows:

"The press here interprets your decision on the controversy between engineers and firemen and brewery workers as sustaining the charge of conspiracy between the brewers of this city and engineers and firemen. This impression may prove a serious obstacle to amicable settlement beween proprietors and brewery workers now in progress, as it casts disgraceful imputation on the proprietors."

Mr. Gompers was requested to telegraph the meaning of his decision with authority to publish the same. He replied as follows:

"I am not responsible for improper interpretation of my opinion. Having omitted any reference to conspiracy therein, an inference of conspiracy is unwarranted. In the interest of all parties I urge you to make an honorable settlement with the brewery workmen's union."

Following the receipt of this telegram, the brewers held a meeting and arranged to take back all such men as could be placed, so that the lockout in Cincinnati, Covington and Newport is practically over.

Of the 1,200 men locked out all are provided for except about 150 who still remain unemployed, most of them being of a class which the brewers will not take back. Others of the old men have gone to Chicago, St. Louis and Milwaukee. The breweries co-operate with the union on hours, wages, etc., but reserve the right to discharge men who are not satisfactory.

## MURDER WILL OUT.

**Clue to a Mystery Ten Years Old in Woman's Skeleton Found Yesterday.**

BUENA VISTA, O., March 28.—While tearing down an old house a few miles north of here today, John Downing, a laborer, found the skeleton of a woman beneath the floor. The lower jawbone was broken, indicating that the woman had met a violent death. There is no clue to the mystery. The house was formerly a rendezvous for river pirates.

About 10 years ago a young school teacher from the east mysteriously disappeared and nothing was ever heard of her. It is now believed she was assaulted and killed and her body secreted under the floor of the old house.

# WOULD STRENGTHEN BRITAIN.

## The Will of the Late Cecil Rhodes Provides for a Vast Plan of Education.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, March 29.—The Daily Mail says that it is in a position to assert that the late Cecil Rhodes left the bulk of his fortune, except some personal and family bequests, to the promotion of a vast imperial plan of education. This project embraces every land where the union jack flies. Its purpose is the intellectual betterment of the British race throughout the world and the fostering of the imperial sentiment.

The Daily Mail adds that this idea of better fitting "younger Britain" to cope successfully with rival nationalitie was long a dominant scheme with Cecil Rhodes, but that even his closest friends little imagined the absorbing hold it obtained upon him until this was disclosed by the terms of his will.

The details of this plan of education will be made public in a few days.

## DEATHS CAUSED BY FOG.

**Three Men Killed and Others Injured in Collision of Trolley Cars Near Joliet.**

JOLIET, ILL., March 28.—Three men were killed and several people injured in a head-on collision at Sag bridge today between two cars of the Joliet & Chicago electric railroad. The dead are John C. Mau, motorman; George Barrett, lineman, and G. M. Hurley, conductor.

The cause of the disaster was a dense fog which prevented the motormen from seeing ahead.

## AGENTS RAID A STILL.

**Seventy-Five Gallons of Whisky, 60 Barrels of Mash, and an Employe Are Captured.**

NEW YORK, March 28.—United States revenue agents today raided an alleged illicit still at 441 Pleasant avenue and arrested Banny Flovack, 22 years old, employed in the place. The proprietor was absent. The officers confiscated 75 gallons of whisky, 60 barrels of mash, 110 pounds of sugar, 200 pounds of yeast and a horse and wagon.

The alleged still was said to have a capacity of 300 gallons a day. Flovack was taken before United States Commissioner Shields and held in $2,500 bail for examination.

## CORA SILVERS MAY LIVE.

**Confessions of Three Young Men Found on Body of Former Husband Who Killed Himself.**

EMPORIA, KAN., March 28.—Cora Silvers, who was shot yesterday by Stephen C. Conkling, her divorced husband, who also wounded his mother-in-law and then committed suicide, is still alive today and the physicians now say she may recover.

The city is greatly agitated over the affair, the more so as three confessions signed by well-known young men were found in the dead man's pocket. These, it is stated, he secured at the point of a revolver.

# NEW METHODS PREVENT RUST OF STEEL GIRDERS

Proper Construction Will Insure Durability of Present Skyscrapers.

## SHOULD LAST CENTURIES

**Steel Encased in Cement Has Been Found Incorroded After Lying 40 Centuries in Pyramids of Egypt. Buildings Wrongly Constructed.**

The alarmist publications in Chicago, regarding the corrosion of structural steel in fireproof buildings there, has aroused the attention of capitalists who are erecting such structures. Denials that columns and girders in the older steel construction buildings have corroded would have made the projectors of skyscrapers suspicious that engineers and steel manufacturers were in a conspiracy to conceal the facts, but there is no denial that in a building poorly constructed and badly designed the danger of corrosion exists. This fact, however, will not prevent the erection of skyscrapers in the future, so that there is no reason, barring earthquakes, why the modern skyscraper should not look down upon the populace centuries hence.

A dispatch from Chicago yesterday said that a building on South Water street, erected in 1880, now in course of demolition to make room for a new structure, had been found to be badly affected by rust, and the Deputy building commissioner was reported as saying that the steel was weakened 50 per cent by the corrosion, that the concrete laid on the steel had caused the metal to corrode and that in Chicago concrete was used altogether around the steel foundations and floor beams, leaving the inference that all the steel structure buildings in Chicago and probably elsewhere were liable to fall in the course of time.

Among the Chicago architects who took issue with O'Shea is D. H. Burnham, who is quoted as saying that concreting steel will prevent corrosion and positively would not cause it. Mr. Burnham added:

**A Striking Example.**

"The old postoffice building is a striking example of this. After 20 years of service this structure was razed and the steel beams and girders that had been covered with concrete came out as good and as bright as when the building was first put up."

"I can confirm what Mr. Burnham says," said F. H. Kindle yesterday. "I was in Chicago for the Carnegie Steel Company at the time the postoffice building was razed and I saw the steel beams that Mr. Burnham refers to."

Mr. Kindle is well known in Pittsburgh as a prominent engineer and metallurgist. He was for years chief engineer of construction of the Carnegie Steel Company, and is now consulting engineer for H. C. Frick on the new Frick building and superintendent for D. H. Burnham & Co. of Chicago on the same building. The dispatch from Chicago was shown to Mr. Kindle. He first made the remarks quoted above and then said:

"Twelve years ago I went to New York for the Carnegie Steel Company to introduce steel columns in high building construction. I was confronted by the building commissioners of New York with the question of the corrosion of steel columns exposed to atmospheric conditions prevailing near the ocean. I looked carefully into the matter, and while it is a fact that steel exposed to the atmosphere rusts to the extent of one-tenth of an inch in 10 years, we found that recent excavations in the pyramids of Egypt had uncovered steel implements embedded in cement. Taken out these tools showed no sign of rust or corrosion, showing the absolute resistance to destructibility of steel thoroughly surrounded by cement as used in the days when the pyramids of Egypt were built.

**Many Buildings Defective.**

"No doubt many buildings of the skyscraper type have been put up with improper provisions in this respect—that is, the steel work was not entirely surrounded with cement. Frequently cement was used of poor quality, made up with cinder ashes, which, as we all know, carries more or less sulpher salts, which salts, when mixed with water, often forms sulphuric acid, and that in turn attacks iron in a diluted state and corrodes it very rapidly. Also, it is almost impossible to design a building in such a manner that the steam and plumbing pipes do not come in close proximity to the steelwork. These pipes were, in fact, in the older forms of steel construction buildings, in the inside of the columns in many cases, or were run close to the flange angles composing the section of the column. Thus the steelwork was not only exposed to atmospheric influences, but became more or less moist from leaks and condensation.

"In the newer types of steel buildings this is, however, almost entirely done away with. The columns should be entirely surrounded with four inches of brick work, built close to the shape of the column and the joints carefully grouted with Portland cement, making it impervious to atmospheric influence, as well as shielding it from water.

**TO CURE GRIP IN TWO DAYS**
Laxative Bromo-Quinine removes the cause. E. W. Grove's signature on every box.

## THE WEATHER.

Time of sunrise today..... 5:32 a. m.
Time of sunset today..... 6:16 p. m.
Daily report for yesterday, furnished by the United States weather bureau:

| Time. | Baro. | Temp. | Hum. | Wind. | Weather. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 8 p. m.... | 29.56 | 58 | 86 | S. | Rain |
| 8 a. m.... | 29.84 | 36 | 87 | W. | Cloudy |

Comparative temperature and precipitation for six years:

| Temperature. | 1901 | 1900 | 1899 | 1898 | 1897 | 1896 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Maximum..... | 58 | 44 | 60 | 70 | 46 | 60 |
| Minimum..... | 30 | 26 | 29 | 48 | 30 | 28 |
| Mean..... | 34 | 36 | 44 | 59 | 38 | 44 |
| Precipitation..... | T. | 0 | .76 | .14 | 0 | 0 |

Maximum temperature (4:30 p. m.)..... 60
Minimum temperature (7 a. m.)..... 36
Mean temperature..... 58
Normal temperature (for 31 years)..... 41
Excess in temperature for the day..... 17
Excess in temperature since March 1..... 149
Deficiency in temperature since Jan. 1..... 31
Normal precipitation (for 31 years)..... .60
Precipitation for the day..... .84
Excess in precipitation for the day..... .72
Excess in precipitation since March 1..... 1.38
Deficiency in precipitation since Jan. 1..... 1.46

**Government Weather Report.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.—Forecast for Saturday and Sunday:

Western Pennsylvania—Rain and colder Saturday; Sunday partly cloudy; brisk south winds shifting to west.

West Virginia—Rain Saturday, colder in west portion; Sunday fair, colder; south winds veering to northwest.

Ohio—Rain and colder Saturday; Sunday fair; brisk south winds shifting to west.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Atlanta | 58 | Rain | Cleveland | 56 | Rain |
| Washington | 58 | Cloudy | Memphis | 60 | Cloudy |
| Cincinnati | 58 | Rain | Louisville | 58 | Rain |
| Chicago | 58 | Cloudy | Grand Haven | 50 | Rain |
| Duluth | 36 | Clear | Marquette | 40 | Snow |
| Galveston | 62 | Clear | Salt Lake | 50 | Clear |
| Kansas City | 60 | Clear | Nashville | 66 | Cloudy |
| Memphis | 66 | Cloudy | Denver | 38 | Snow |
| Montgomery | 66 | Cloudy | Dodge City | 50 | Clear |
| Columbus | 56 | Rain | North Platte | 46 | Cloudy |
| Omaha | 40 | Clear | Omaha | 40 | Pt cldy |
| St. Louis | 60 | Clear | Calgary | 30 | Pt cldy |
| St. Paul | 46 | Clear | Bismarck | 32 | Pt cldy |
| Pittsburg | 52 | Cloudy | Helena | 36 | Cloudy |
| Norfolk | 60 | Cloudy | Vicksburg | 66 | Clear |
| New York | 50 | Rain | St. Louis | 60 | Pt cldy |
| Philadelphia | 56 | Cloudy | Kansas City | 58 | Pt cldy |
| Pittsburg | 52 | Cloudy | Marquette | 40 | Clear |
| Portland | 42 | Rain | St. Paul | 30 | Clear |

# STRATEGY USED BY MILL OWNERS

CLOSE THEIR FACTORIES BECAUSE OF A THREATENED STRIKE.

Sixteen Thousands Operatives Will Be Locked Out of Lowell, Mass., Cotton Mills After Today—Many New England Towns Have Labor Troubles.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

LOWELL, MASS., March 28.—In anticipation of a strike by the 16,000 operatives of the seven cotton mills in this city to enforce a demand for an advance of 10 per cent in wages, the mill agents today notified the workmen that after tomorrow the mills will be closed until further notice. Business men of Lowell will attempt to adjust the differences.

NEW BEDFORD, MASS., March 28.—The 10 mill operatives in this city have been granted an advance of 10 per cent in wages, the advance to take effect April 7.

**Manufacturers Are Uneasy.**

PAWTUCKET, R. I., March 28.—The cotton mill situation in Rhode Island is causing much concern on the part of the manufacturers as well as the mill operatives. The Rhode Island mule spinners' association is the only organization of cotton operatives which has requested the manufacturers to advance wages, and no definite reply has been given. Prices of standard goods, made in New Bedford, Lowell and other Massachusetts manufacturing communities govern the prices of Rhode Island made goods to a great extent, so far as the wages paid are concerned.

**Strike on at Fitchburg.**

FITCHBURG, MASS., March 28.—The entire force of weavers in the Fitchburg worsted mills and the Beoli mills of the American Woolen Company struck today in sympathy with the Rhode Island employes of the combine in the struggle against the two-loom system in that state.

FALL RIVER, MASS., March 28.—About 300 operatives of Globe yarn mills Nos. 1 and 2 are out on strike. These mills are owned by the New England Cotton Yarn Company, which did not enter into the recent agreement among the local mills to advance wages 10 per cent. The operatives demand the increase.

# THREW HIMSELF FROM A TRAIN WHILE INSANE

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"Later he made signs for a drink, and I got him a glass of water from the cooler, which was several seats away from us. He drank the water, and just as I was placing the glass back I saw Anderson's feet disappearing through the window. He had jumped quickly to his feet and thrown himself backward against the car window, smashing the frame. I rushed to the window near the water cooler, and got there just in time to see Anderson's body turn a somersault and fall against a side track to the right.

"The excitement of the passengers was intense. We had been sitting in the smoking car. I think the steps of this car struck him on the back of the head. I notified the conductor at once and the train was stopped, but the boy was dead."

At Anderson's home in McClintock avenue last night no one could be found except a younger sister. She stated to a Gazette reporter that he had been somewhat demented as long as she could remember. Coroner McGeary was notified and will hold an inquest today.

Harry Beatty, a former watchman at the City home, was on the train when Anderson jumped off. He was sitting opposite him, and saw him plunge through the window. "Several of us tried to stop him, but he was too quick for us all," he said. "Anderson was apparently so satisfied with his conditions that he threw everybody off guard. It was a great surprise to me."

# BRAINED WITH AN AX.

**Kentucky Woman Murdered in Her Home While Husband Was Temporarily Absent.**

JELLICO, TENN., March 28.—Mrs. Green Older was murdered at her home at Saxton, Ky., eight miles north of Jellico, last night by an unknown man, who escaped.

Mr. and Mrs. Older returned from church services about 9 o'clock. Mrs. Older entered the house, while Mr. Older went to the hen house in the rear. A moment later he heard his wife scream and running to the front door saw an unknown man disappearing. Older ran into the house and found his wife dead on the floor in a pool of blood. She had been brained with an ax which was lying at her side.

Excitement is intense and it is feared violence may be attempted if the murderer is apprehended by the posses now organizing.

# CATTLE NEED WATER.

**Former Sources of Supply Are Inclosed by Fences—Weather Adds to Suffering.**

DENVER, March 28.—Reports from Orchard, Col., say that many cattle on the plains are in a pitiable condition for want of water. Many of the water holes in Morgan county have been fenced in by owners of small herds and other cattlemen, whose stock is shut off from water, are threatening to take retaliatory measures.

A snow and windstorm prevailed in northeastern Colorado today and heavy losses among the weakened range cattle are feared.

**Ocean Steamship Movements.**

| Port. | Arrived. | Sailed. |
|---|---|---|
| New York | Mongolian | |
| Liverpool | Saxonia | Cevic. |
| Liverpool | Germanic | Dominion. |
| Liverpool | Teutic | Corinthian. |
| Kinsale | Teutic | |
| Beachy Head | Pretoria | |
| Tarifa | Sardegna | |
| Bremen | Breslau | |
| Suez | Ospack | |
| New York | La Savoie | |
| New York | Patricia | |
| Genoa | Allei | |
| Gibraltar | | Augusta Victoria. |
| Boulogne | | Amsterdam. |

*March April May*

There is a best time for doing everything—that is, a time when a thing can be done to the best advantage, most easily and most effectively. Now is the best time for purifying your blood. Why? Because your system is now trying to purify it—you know this by the pimples and other eruptions that have come on your face and body.

***Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills***

Are the medicines to take—they do the work thoroughly and agreeably and never fail to do it.

Hood's are the medicines you have always heard recommended.

"I cannot recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla too highly as a spring medicine. When we take it in the spring we all feel better through the summer." Mrs. S. E. NEAL, McCrays, Pa.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.**

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**The Pittsburgh Gazette**
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If received at our office before MIDNIGHT OF APRIL 15,
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*Name*.....

*School*.....

*Town*..... *County*.....

For the EUROPEAN TOUR tendered to 25 most popular School Teachers by

**THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE and CHRONICLE TELEGRAPH.**

Send all ballots to Excursion Department, Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph. Ballots not legibly filled out will not be counted. Last ballot will be printed May 31, 1902. Ballots from Sunday Gazette count three votes.

## RULES OF VOTING CONTEST.

Ballots must be filled out with full name of teacher, school where employed, town and county; those of each series must be sent in before midnight of the 15th and last day of each month. The party will be composed of 25 teachers; 12 from Pittsburgh and Allegheny, 6 from Allegheny county outside the cities and 7 from outside of Allegheny county. All expenses will be borne by The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph and each member of the party will receive $50 in cash. The tour will occupy more than six weeks and cover the most interesting portions of England, Scotland, Belgium, Holland, Germany, Switzerland and France. Contest closes May 31.

# LOCAL DEALERS PUT BLAME ON COMBINATION

They Do Not See How Natural Causes Bring About High Meat Prices.

## FIGURES ARE INTERESTING

**Receipts of Cattle, Sheep and Hogs at East Liberty Stock Yards Are Greater This Month Than They Were a Year Ago.**

Local wholesale and retail butchers assert that a "squeeze," engineered by the "beef combination," is responsible for the abnormally high prices prevailing in the meat market. They declare that if prices go much higher their trade will be ruined and many forced out of business.

The local dealers allege that the "squeeze" has a twofold purpose—to add millions to the beef combination's profits and to destroy competition.

The local representatives of Armour & Co., Nelson Morris & Co. and other firms alleged to belong to the big meat combination admit that the middlemen, as well as the consumers, are suffering heavily from the steady advance in prices.

"The butchers are not making any money and their prospects are decidedly blue with a continuation of rising prices in sight," said a representative of Armour & Co. "I expect the market to go much higher and can see no prospects of relief for some time to come," he added.

Representatives of the large western packing houses will not admit, however, that the rising prices are due to a combination of the interests in control of the meat markets.

**Natural Causes Blamed.**

They insist that the increase in prices is due solely to a natural increase in the consumption of meat and a decrease in the supply.

The first condition, they allege, results from the general prosperity of the country and the inadequate supply to the shortage of the last corn crop and other causes.

While the butchers admit that consumption has increased to some extent, they declare that the rise in prices is out of all proportion to any falling off in the supply of cattle.

They attempt to prove this by comparing prices of this year with prices of last year and by a comparison of the receipts of live stock at the local yards for the present month with the receipts for the corresponding period of last year. The price of cattle, hogs and sheep in Pittsburgh and other eastern cities is practically fixed by the prices prevailing in the western markets.

**Absolute Control of Markets.**

Meat men say that the western markets are controlled absolutely by the interests forming the beef combination, and that through this medium prices of live stock in eastern markets are determined.

The records of quotations at the East Liberty stock yards for this year and last show a wide disparity in prices. A few quotations will show this.

On March 25, 1901, the local wholesale quotations on cattle, prime heavy, were $5.50 to $5.65 a hundred weight.

On March 24, 1902, the quotations on the same grade of cattle were $6.60 to $6.85, making an increase in one year of $1.25 a hundred weight. Last year the quotations of the last week of March on prime hogs was $6.15 a hundred weight. This week it is $6.80, an increase of 65 cents.

The local quotations on extra prime sheep for the last week of March, 1901, were $4.90 to $5. This week they sold for $5.70 to $5.90, an increase within the year on sheep of 90 cents.

**A Comparison of Sales.**

A comparison of the sales at the East Liberty yards show a material increase over last year. During the week ending last Saturday the sales were 1,864 head of cattle, 10,076 hogs and 10,770 sheep were sold. The sales for the corresponding week of last year were 1,627 head of cattle, 10,558 hogs and 6,600 sheep.

The manager of the East Liberty stock yards said yesterday that the receipts of live stock for this year were considerably larger than last year, yet prices have increased 25 per cent.

Quotations for the last three weeks show that the price of live stock to butchers has gone up in that time 45 cents on cattle, 20 cents on hogs and 40 cents on sheep.

Enoch James, one of the largest local wholesale and retail butchers, said yesterday that the advance in prices had already begun to seriously affect the demand for fresh meats. He said that fresh meats had become a prohibitive luxury to hundreds of families of the cities and that a further advance is likely to drive many butchers out of business.

**Wealthy Woman Running for Office.**

LOUISVILLE, KY., March 28.—The race for congress in the Tenth district is being enlivened this year by Miss Mary Burkhart, a wealthy young woman, who is a candidate on the Prohibition ticket. Miss Burkhart is a resident of Lone Wolf county, daughter of a prosperous lumberman, with $100,000 in her own name.

**Easter Music at Great Men's Meeting.**
**(For Men Only.)**

Sunday afternoon meeting at Emory M. E. church promises to be a most interesting meeting musically and otherwise.

It will be for men only. The Rev. Mr. Rees, the evangelist, will preach on "Modern Sodom." Mr. S. Hamilton will conduct the music, having a special male quartet and men's chorus, together with the Emory orchestra of 12 pieces, augmented by the addition of the Keystone orchestra of Allegheny and the Smith's orchestra of North Side, all three organizations having some of the most talented young musicians in the two cities. In addition to quartets, chorus and orchestras both piano and organ will be used. Meeting begins at 3:30 p. m., but to secure good seats you had better go early, as last Sunday afternoon the great auditorium would scarcely hold the men, and tomorrow, with the added musical features, will no doubt draw a great assemblage of men.

Nothing in all the realm of music equals a great chorus of 1,000 men's voices. Men of all classes and conditions are cordially invited at 3:30 p. m. Church is corner of Highland avenue and Broad street, East End.

**GO TO CAMPBELL'S**
**For a Stylish Easter Suit or Jacket.**

Very extensive showing of the correct garments at extremely moderate prices.

Handsome suits for women in all styles at from $10.00 up.

Natty Spring Jackets at from $5.00 up. Complete lines of jackets and suits for misses; also children's coats and white or colored dresses.

The department has been enlarged and newly fitted out this spring and is well worth a visit from you.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE, 5TH AVE.

**DIED.**

DE VRIES—On Friday, March 28, 1902, WALTER HOWARD DE VRIES, in his 24th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 20 Stanwix street, Mt. Washington, Sunday, March 30, at 2 o'clock p. m. Friends of the family and members of Old Glory chapter No. 58, A. I. U., are respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Sykesville, Md., Monday, March 31, 1902.

[Baltimore (O.) and Wheeling (W. Va.) papers please copy.]

MAY—Entered into rest on Saturday, March 29, 1902, at 1 a. m., at her residence, 309 Denniston avenue, JENNIE M., wife of T. J. May.

Notice of funeral later.

**Cold Damp Feet Won't Give You a Cold**
If you will take in time Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. E. W. Grove's signature on box.

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Very stylish assortments of Women's Belts, in silk, satin, or moire, with handsome buckles and back pieces to match; also a very fine collection of leather belts in black and the latest colorings, with nickel, gilt and black harness buckles; prices range from 25c up to $3.50.

WM. CAMPBELL,
THE PEOPLE'S STORE, FIFTH AVE.

**Rev. Conwell's new lecture. Allegheny Carnegie hall, Monday evening. Admission 50 cents.**

# SATURDAY WILL PROBABLY SEE LOWEST PRICES KNOWN

**A Record Breaker May Be Looked For—Closing of Ambuhl Bros.' Sale of Fine Pianos at Factory Cost—Must Vacate Building April 1st—New Location, 622 Penn Avenue, Not Ready.**

The lowest that fine new high-grade pianos were ever sold at retail will probably be witnessed today, Saturday, at Ambuhl Bros., 433 Wood street. They must vacate their present quarters April 1, and their new location at 622 Penn avenue is not ready.

The special sale of their entire stock at factory cost that they inaugurated a few days ago to save themselves much loss through depreciation has never been equaled in point of numbers of instruments sold, and no wonder, for never were such strictly high-grade pianos sold so low at retail.

Today, Saturday, being practically the last day in their present store they will endeavor to dispose of every remaining instrument, both new and second-hand. Kimball, Hallet & Davis, Chickering Bros., Kranich & Bach, Decker Bros., Hinze, Packard, Strauss, Haines Bros., etc. All will be sold if still deeper cuts in prices will do it.

This is a wonderful opportunity for cash buyers, but easy payments will be accepted.

Beautiful new $370, $407 and $500 pianos will go for $247, $273 to $337. They are all beautiful new instruments, and of the very latest styles of case.

A few new pianos that sell regularly from $225 to $300 will be closed out for $127, $145 to $168, $8 per month.

Some of the very finest pianos in the market, ranging in price from $450, $500 and $600 will be cut equally as deep as all the others. There are no finer pianos than Kimball, Chickering Bros. and Hallet & Davis.

Fine Decker Bros., Chickering and Haines Bros. squares, $30, $60 and $90. $5 per month.

Second-hand Kranich & Bach upright, $150. Chickering, $125. Kimball, $160.

**ORGANS! ORGANS! ORGANS!**

Kimball, Mason & Hamlin, Packard, Hamilton, etc., etc. The prices on all will be cut in two.

Beautiful new $175 organs, $95. $100 organs, $58. $65 high top organs, $32.50, $6 to $10 down, $3 to $5 per month.

Instruments shipped anywhere to reliable parties.

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**A Boy's Life Saved!**

A Grateful Mother Writes About the Rescue of Her Child.

**Paine's Celery Compound**

**Triumphed After the Failures of Physicians.**

Mrs. Tallman of 191 Redmond St., New Brunswick, N. J., grateful for the rescue of her little boy from suffering and death, writes as follows:

"I have used Paine's Celery Compound for our little boy. He had been under the doctor's care for five months, but did not seem to get much better. The physician said the child had spinal trouble. He is three years old and was obliged to creep on his hands and knees and was too weak to sit up long at a time. We bought a bottle of Paine's Celery Compound, and before it was half gone we saw a big change in the boy. He is now real fat and strong and can walk all around the house, and has red, plump cheeks. Paine's Celery Compound cured him."

In the face of such testimony who can deny the fact that Paine's Celery Compound restores to strength, vigor and new life? Hundreds of such letters as Mrs. Tallman's are on file for the inspection of doubters.

When your children are weak, run down, nervous, fretful, despondent, have loss of appetite, slow circulation of blood, give them Paine's Celery Compound for a week or two, and note well the cheering results in returning health and vigor. We strongly urge the immediate use of the great medicine for all sickly and weak boys and girls.

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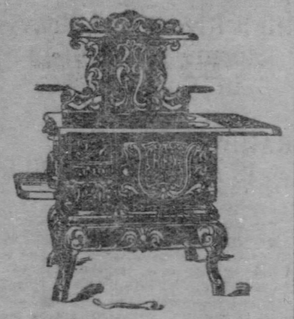

If so, you want to save money on it. Our stock is bigger than ever before and we've made big cuts in all prices. If you buy before seeing our stock and getting our prices you lose.

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If we could tell you how many more women have bought their Easter Millinery here this year than last, you might ask why. And we would likely give you a woman's answer—"Because"—but would add, "there is such an engaging contrast between our styles and the quickly-thrown-together millinery one sees more or less of."

Novelty is what most women want—the unusual and the fetching. The plain styles made of rough or stiff materials, trimmed with the most delicate laces, with a veil, perhaps, added—are charming and new.

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And about any price one cares to pay.

Between $5 and $25 seems to have been settled as the popular price range. Our $10 models are as full of style as are usually found in hats costing $25.

And the $5 and $8 Hats are simply beauties.

Ready-to-Wear Outing Hats—all the new ideas—natty in appearance—$1.50, $2.25, $3.50, $5 and $8.

Untrimmed Hats by the hundreds. You who are nimble at trimming will have plenty of time today for putting together something stylish. All Colors—all shapes. 50c each.

The Flowers with which to trim the hats—thousands and thousands of them—bright posies and field flowers—25c and 50c for a generous bunch.

Children's Hats, Caps and Tams—match the clothes if desired—25c and easily along to $5.50.

### *The Baby's Outing Tomorrow.*

Paris hand-made baby lingerie, if you desire—as elaborate and dainty and beautiful as any mother could wish her baby to have.

Baby lingerie of domestic make—not so high priced as that from Paris—very effective as to trimming and prettiness.

Then there are the Cloaks and Coats and the Dresses, the Hats and Caps—ever so pretty and full of babyish style.

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The line of French Caps and Hats, medium and large Poke Bonnets, will puzzle any mother as to which style she likes best. The materials employed in the making are chiffon, silk, pt. d'esprit, silk mull, organdie and lawn, cunningly worked into the cutest and prettiest shapes, set off with laces, ribbon, rim ruche and beadings, ribbons and rosettes, etc.

Take today for looking over these new baby things. The prices are in this range—with about any between price that can be thought of.

Caps from 25c to $12.
Bonnets from $1 to $10.
Hats from 25c to $15.
Cloaks of Silk from $6.75 to $25.
Cloaks of Bedford Cord from $3 to $21.
Cloaks of Fancy Wool Cloths from $5.75 to $15.
Cloaks of Pique from $1.25 to $15.

### *Men's Easter Neckwear*

No one thing is the particular style for men—wear anything that suits you—and your complexion and your clothes; but see that it does suit.

There is every kind of neckwear here that you can think of—except, of course, the mean kind. Plain colors in every shade that man can wear. Stripes, plaids, neat dark figures, figures on white, spots, and, of course, full lines of plain black and white.

50c—the popular price—but higher prices and finer goods if you care to indulge in something of the top-notch order.

We were in great good luck in getting a belated importation of English Neckwear from the Custom House yesterday. All exclusive styles and newest colorings. The Four-in-Hand Scarf is the smart thing. $1.

### *Men's Easter Handkerchiefs.*

We'll not take time to tell you of the great variety of men's handkerchiefs in this men's store. That's as well known as anything can be known.

Here's a single number, among others, received from England yesterday. It's a swell handkerchief of very fine linen, beautifully hemstitched, and has a colored border. The handkerchiefs are exceptionally neat.

This style is exclusive with us and sells for 75c.

### *Women's Easter Gloves.*

The fact that we are importuned by kid glove manufacturers to take up their products; the fact that we decline most of them; the fact that the best glove makers of the world give us the exclusive right to sell their gloves; the fact that we have many fine gloves made expressly for us—goes to show that all that is good in kid gloves, and fashionable, is to be found here.

We have even had noted makers of fine gloves take their gloves out of other stores and give them to us so they would be properly placed before women. They knew—as do all manufacturers—what store has the great trade in kid gloves.

For the Easter glove—our variety will quickly help you to decide.

Our $1 Kid Gloves—the Superba, the Audrey, the Regina—are the best types of dollar gloves. They are the perfection of fit. If the outside price were paid no better fit could be given. The color range is amply large, including black and white.

Two other brands of our own Gloves—finer in quality—are the Penn Avenue, $1.50 a pair, and the Royale, $2 a pair. The latter is a tailor made glove, embodying a new idea, and is meeting with the unbounded favor of women.

For the finest Kid Gloves—literally—the Paris Gloves of Reynier and Jouvin & Cie lead the world. We are sole distributing agents.

### *Easter Veilings.*

When veilings are to play such an important part in decorating millinery as they are this season it is important to select where variety is greatest.

We have attended to the variety feature with great care.

New Chiffon Veils for draping Hats—1¼ to 2 yards long—dotted and applique effects—hemstitched and lace borders—all colors—50c to $2 each.

New Cream Lace Veils with Renaissance edge—$1.50 to $5 each.

New Veilings of our own importation—double with single cluster and double knots, also fancy meshes with blue, pink and black and white dots, 50c to $1.75 a yard.

Handsome new Black Veilings, with genuine chenille dots — "Santos Dumont" and "Sun Burst" designs, 50c to $4.50 a yard.

New two-toned and all black fancy Tuxedo Veilings, including a beautiful assortment of extra large new patterns—25c to $1 a yard.

New dotted Malines in all colors and combinations, 35c a yard.

New Maline, black and white, 25c; colors, 30c a yard.

### *Men's Easter Gloves.*

Gray, by all means. But if you prefer other colors, we have them all.

Our $1 Mocha is a splendid glove, as full of glove style as any glove can be.

For the best take Reynier's grays and tans at $2.25. You'll have the satisfaction of knowing no man wears a better glove.

Then we have Dent's at $2, and Perrin's at $2.25 a pair—both excellent gloves. Correct shades.

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Counter and partition for sale.

# Attempted Jail Delivery---Miners May Strike

## DESPERATE ATTEMPT TO BREAK JAIL FRUSTRATED

### WAS ALMOST A SUCCESS

### Fifteen Men Implicated in a Dash for Liberty at Clarksburg.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CLARKSBURG, W. VA., March 28.—A desperate and almost successful wholesale jail delivery was frustrated here this afternoon.

James Kirkpatrick, charged with a felony, was visited by his son, and during their lengthy conversation, apparently by prearrangement, others of the 15 prisoners in the corridors dug a hole through the brick wall of the jail.

Kirkpatrick, in his eagerness to escape, turned over a barrel on the outside of the wall, and the noise attracted the attention of the jailer. Kirkpatrick was half way out of the hole when driven back.

D. J. Edwards, sentenced to three years for bunco-ing, who has made three previous attempts to escape from jail, is supposed to be one of the ringleaders. The supreme court this week affirmed the decision of the circuit court in his case, and he is to be taken to the penitentiary soon. All the men implicated in the attempt are now locked in cells.

### NOTICE TO MINERS.

**Locals in Ninth Anthracite District Advised of the Thirty Days' Truce Agreed Upon.**

SHAMOKIN, PA., March 28.—Acting under instructions from President John Mitchell the ninth district headquarters began sending out official notices today to all United Mine Workers' locals in the region, advising them of the 30 days' truce between the anthracite coal operators and their employes.

It is expected that the three executive boards will meet shortly to hear the report of President Mitchell and the district presidents, when it will be determined when to send the special committee of 14 miners to New York for a hearing before the Civic Federation.

### MUST AGREE ON ALL.

**Scale Committee of Miners and Operators at Bridgeport, O., Insists on Harmony.**

BRIDGEPORT, O., March 28.—The scale committee of miners and operators of the fifth Ohio sub-district in convention here decided today that there will be no acceptance of one clause and disagreement on another bill; that they must agree or all or reject all, and in the latter event go on a strike.

The miners succeeded in persuading 50 miners imported from New York from going into the De Armit mines today.

### L. C. CARL ARRESTED.

**Former Collector of School and County Taxes at Williamstown Put in Jail.**

HARRISBURG, PA., March 28.—Lincoln C. Carl, formerly collector of school and county taxes at Williamstown, was arrested today and locked up in the Dauphin county jail, charged with defaulting to the extent of $1,600.

Carl is a member of the Dauphin county bar.

### MAY SAVE THE MINE.

**Men in Relays Are Fighting the Flames at Whitsett.**

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., March 28.—(Special.)—Reports from the Whitsett fire tonight say the fire is slightly under control and that the mine may be saved. Men from all the surrounding works of the Pittsburgh Coal Company have been summoned and are fighting the flames in relays.

So far there have been no accidents, although the fire fighters are exceedingly daring. Mine inspectors are on the ground superintending the work of the firemen.

**Carpenters Threaten to Strike.**

SHAMOKIN, PA., March 28.—One hundred carpenters and joiners of local union No. 37 at a meeting today decided to go on strike April 1, unless the contractors conceded a 10 per cent increase of wages and a nine-hour work day. The contractors say they cannot grant the demands.

**Engineers On Strike.**

LORAIN, O., March 28.—(Special.)—The night engineers on the Lorain Steel Company's switch engines have gone out on a strike on account of a grievance against one of the switchmen whom they want discharged. Yard conductors and employes were put in the strikers' places and work has not been delayed.

### STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

LEBANON, PA.—The River on the Reading Railroad yesterday morning killed 6-year-old Thomas Weigley at Richland, about 100 yards west of the station at that place.

IRWIN, PA.—Edward Scorwich, the 3-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Scorwich, while playing on the railroad tracks at Manor Thursday evening was struck by the Philadelphia express and received injuries that caused its death yesterday morning.

BEAVER FALLS, PA.—It is expected that the improvements on the Beaver Valley Water Company's plant will be begun next week. The work will cost about $50,000. It will be done by Edward Wolford of Ellwood City, who has just completed the building of a water plant at Hot Springs, Ark.

WHEELING, W. VA.—The council has acted favorably on a proposition submitted by the Ohio Valley Street Railway Company, composed of Pittsburgh capitalists, to build a street railway through this place. The line will be a link in the chain that will ultimately connect Wheeling and Pittsburgh.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA.—Chief of Detectives J. R. Mehen of the Ohio River division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad is confined to his home suffering from the effects of a beating that he received Thursday from Cicero Pridee. The scuffle which resulted in the assault took place at the railroad station.

CUMBERLAND, MD.—Mart Owen, a brakeman on the Baltimore & Ohio, Pittsburgh division, was killed today at Salisbury junction. His train broke in two, and while between the engine and first car disconnecting the air hose the rear section crashed into the first, severing Owen's head from the body. He was 23, unmarried, and lived at Fair Hope.

**E. W. GROVE.**

This name must appear on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets, the remedy that cures a cold in one day. 25 cents.

**Conwell's "Heroism of a Private Life," Allegheny Carnegie hall, Monday evening.**

**Kid Gloves for Easter.**
**Special Display at Campbell's.**

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Our specialties are our $1.00 and $1.50 lines; all shades and styles in glace kid and suede.

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## FIRE MADE CHAOS AT FAYETTE CITY

### Inhabitants Had a Hard Time Identifying Their Own Goods.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BELLEVERNON, PA., March 28.—Fayette City presents a scene of desolation today. Its houses are built so close together that for a time last night, while the fire was raging, it looked as the whole town would go.

When the flames were at their worst all the residents of the upper end of the village began moving out. The streets are narrow and household goods of every description were piled in an indiscriminate heap wherever room could be found. The rough usage they received did much damage and the rain made things worse.

When daylight came there was a great scrambling among the residents to get their belongings separated from the common pile, and more than one dispute occurred.

The fire originated in the flouring mill of the Croft Milling Company, and it destroyed that plant, the planing mill of James Patterson and four dwellings. Hard work saved several other houses, two or three, however, being badly damaged. The loss is estimated at about $50,000.

### METHODISTS START WORK.

**Annual Reports Presented to Conference at Bellefonte Show Unprecedented Prosperity.**

BELLEFONTE, PA., March 28.—For the first time since its opening the Methodist Episcopal conference got down to business today. In the absence of Bishop Walden with the Swallow committee of inquiry, Bishop Foss presided. The entire morning session was taken up with hearing the reports of the presiding elders. All the reports showed a year of unprecedented prosperity, the amount of money collected for missionary purposes showing a large increase.

The inquiry in the Swallow case, which has been in progress since yesterday afternoon, has so far consisted simply in reading the testimony of the Harrisburg hearing and there are yet 40 pages of this matter to go over before the committee will be able to go into any new phases of the case.

### NEGLIGENCE NO CRIME.

**Investigation Into a Railroad Accident in Ohio Stopped on Technical Grounds.**

YOUNGSTOWN, O., March 28.—(Special.)—Coroner Blott has been stopped in his investigation of the cause of the accident on the Pennsylvania road, when two freight trains came together, causing the death of four railroad men, by Prosecutor Gibson, who decided that the coroner had no right to investigate it because negligence is not a crime in this state, although it is in Pennsylvania.

It is probable that the matter will be taken up in Lawrence county, Pa., to decide whether the fault of the accident was with the operator at Lawrence Junction.

**Another B. & O. Wreck.**

CUMBERLAND, MD., March 28.—(Special.)—A disastrous freight wreck occurred on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad tonight near Martinsburg, caused by a rear end collision. An engine and 12 cars were smashed up. Both tracks are blocked and passenger trains are being sent around the wreck over the Western Maryland road via Cherry run. No one was injured.

## ROBINSON'S ATTITUDE MAY CAUSE A STRIKE

### MINERS ARE AROUSED

### Employes of Rochester and Pittsburgh Coal and Iron Co. Involved.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

ALTOONA, PA., March 28.—The refusal of L. W. Robinson of the Rochester and Pittsburgh Coal and Iron Company to sign the miners' scale agreed upon here yesterday by the miners and the rest of the operators of district No. 2, may cause a strike of Robinson's several thousand men on April 1.

Robinson's men allege that he departed from last year's scale in compelling the men to push to the headings heavily loaded cars instead of employing mules and that he insisted on the same conditions for the next year. It was his contention that held up the convention and delayed the signing of the scale by the other operators and miners.

The Robinson miners will hold mass meetings in Punxsutawney and Sykesville on April 1 and National Board Member Bernard Rice, National Organizer McKay and other leaders will be there to deliver addresses.

The Robinson field includes mines at Punxsutawney, DuBois, London Mines, Rathmel, Soldier, Reynoldsville, Heinetta, Eleanore, Sherwood, Adrian, New Florence, Elk Run, Walston and Yatesboro.

It is said that the United Mine Workers will give moral and financial assistance to a strike in this field if it is declared.

### ANXIOUS FOR SMALLPOX.

**The Citizens of Scottown, O., Want the Disease and the Incidental Perquisites.**

COLUMBUS, O., March 28.—(Special.)—For some time there has been epidemic of smallpox in Scottown, Lawrence county, and the quarantine has been enforced by the state board of health.

The people have evidently grown tired of the restrictions placed around them and seeing that those who had the disease were fed and clothed at the expense of the state while under quarantine, evidently decided that the disease was not such a bad thing to have after all. Dr. C. O. Probst of the state board of health today received a letter from the health officer of the village reading as follows:

"The majority of our best citizens think it best not to quarantine any longer, since the disease is not hurting any one very much. Again, there are a great many who, it seems, want to get the disease from the fact that they want the public to pay for their clothing and provisions while they are quarantined."

Dr. Probst informed the health officer that the quarantine must be enforced or the state board of health would take the matter up, employ guards and charge the expense up to the local authorities.

**Teachers' Convention Opened.**

WARREN, O., March 28.—(Special.)—The annual convention of teachers of Trumbull, Mahoning and Columbiana counties opened here tonight with the largest attendance for years. The speaker tonight was Dr. Alston Ellis of Athens, president of Ohio University.

## RIVER INTERESTS

### THE THREE RIVERS.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, O., March 28.—The river at 6 p. m. marked 17 feet and falling slowly. Weather warm, clear. Light trains. The Exprise passed up with a tow of empties; the E. R. Andrews departed up stream with a tow of 26 empties; the Convoy went up with a tow of miscellaneous freight for Pomeroy. She will continue to Pittsburgh if the water holds out. The Jack Frost will depart up stream tomorrow. She has been undergoing some repairs here. The M. Clare arrived from the Kanawha. The B. D. Wood and the Adele are due in with coal from Louisville with tows for above. The Bill Clarke and the Hornet No. 2 arrived tonight at the upper landing. They will return with tows of empties. Capt. Oscar Barrett will not be able to raise his barge on the falls at Louisville as soon as expected as the current is very swift where the barge is located and it will have to be taken out in sections.

EVANSVILLE—River falling slowly here, stands 24.6 feet. Weather cooler and cloudy with showers. Regular packets in on time. Wabash river falling at Mt. Carmel. Cumberland down; Wash Honsbell up. Sunshine due down tonight.

LOUISVILLE—River falling; canal, 8.2 feet; falls, 6.4 feet; foot of locks, 17.6 feet. Business active. Weather cloudy, rainy. Packets in and out on time. Falls and tow left for Cairo early this morning. The H. F. Frisble with a tow of lumber passed up at 10 a. m. The Sea Lion brought down a big raft for Howard and went back. Capt. Thomas James has returned from Florida in fine health.

POINT PLEASANT—River 10 feet and falling. Light rain. Down, Queen City and Bonanza. Up, Argand and Bill Clark.

OIL CITY—River 2 feet 7 inches and falling. Warm, rain.

MARIETTA—River 8 feet and falling. Light rain. Bedford up 8 a. m. Ben Hur due down 7 p. m.

WHEELING—River 8 feet and rising. Warm, raining. Departed, Bessie Smith, Parkersburg, 11 a. m.; Virginia, Pittsburgh, 2 p. m.

WARREN—River 2 feet 5 inches. Light rain.

GREENSBORO—River 8 feet 1 inch and falling. Raining. Cherry down Saturday, and the Hite up.

BROWNSVILLE—River 5 feet 7 inches and stationary. Weather cloudy and warm.

STEUBENVILLE—River 7 feet 6 inches and rising. Raining and cool. Up, John Moren.

PARKERSBURG—River 8 feet and stationary. Light rain. No boats.

MORGANTOWN—River 7 feet 6 inches and stationary. Raining.

### BANNER EGG SHIPMENT.

**Steamer Greenwood Unloads a Big Cargo at the Monongahela Wharf.**

The steamer Greenwood, which arrived yesterday from Coal Valley, the head of navigation on the Big Kanawha river, brought to Pittsburgh 1,800 cases of eggs, the largest shipment that has been brought to this city this season by an Ohio river packet. The eggs were gathered about Gallipolis and at points on the Kanawha river. Of the consignment 125 cases were put off the boat at East Liverpool and the balance were brought to Pittsburgh.

The market here was very weak yesterday. The Lorena, which also arrived from Zanesville on the Muskingum river, brought large shipments of eggs and more especially poultry. Some of the packets arriving reported that they had to refuse freight. The steamer Virginia of the Pittsburgh & Cincinnati Packet line, which is due in port this morning, also has a big shipment of eggs, and the packets that will arrive Monday will still further add to the supply in this market. Eggs were about 2 cents a dozen cheaper yesterday than they were the first of the week.

**Arrivals.**

Greenwood, Greene, Charleston.
Lorena, Wallace, Zanesville.

**Departures.**

Greenwood, Coal Valley, West Virginia.

**Packets Leaving Today.**

Virginia, Cincinnati, 4 p. m.
Lorena, Zanesville, 4 p. m.

**News of the Rivers.**

The wharf marks last night showed 4.6 feet of water; river rising.

Capt. Alex. M. Halliday and family will make a trip to Europe, starting early in June.

Capt. Scott Phillips of Vicksburg, well known in southern waters, is dead after a brief illness of pneumonia.

The new sand dredgeboat which the Rodgers Sand Company has contracted for will be christened Harriett.

The engine which has for years done service on the towboat Little Bill will be placed on the towboat Tide in the near future.

The towboat Sam Brown yesterday afternoon arrived in port with a tow of empties. Several other boats are nearing Pittsburgh.

When some one asked Capt. Watt Shedd of the M. Poe, why he didn't put in the new gate at Lock No. 1, Watt replied: "Hank it—I can't."

Lively times are predicted on the Monongahela river. Another line of packets is about to be entered in the Pittsburgh and Morgantown trade.

Edward Berridge, a member of the force of the Gallipolis Tribune, was a passenger yesterday to Pittsburgh on the Greenwood. He is making the round trip.

The towboat H. P. Dilworth yesterday arrived in port from Rice's landing with three flats of coal, the first large consignment from the mines of the Dilworth Coal Company.

The Winifrede Coal Company is building a large number of barges on the Kanawha river, 14 miles above Charleston. Four carloads of Pittsburgh material were shipped there yesterday by boat.

The steamer Enos Taylor was yesterday inspected by the local steamboat inspectors. The boat leaves today for Ohio river points, where the towboat it is towing will entertain the country folks.

Negotiations are pending for the purchase of the towboat I. N. Hook, which used to do jobbing work at Pittsburgh. The boat is now owned by Tennessee river persons. It is said that Neel Bros. are after her.

The Virginia, which leaves today for Cincinnati, will have a fine trip of freight and a large number of passengers. The passenger business on the Cincinnati line is on the increase. The Lorena will also depart with good business.

The steamer City of Wheeling, which was laid up all winter at the mouth of the Muskingum river, has been taken to Clarrington and is being put in condition to enter the excursion trade out of Wheeling during the coming summer.

The engines formerly on the old steamer Fleetwing, which are being placed on the side-wheel steamer Liberty, are back of her wheels, instead of in front. This is another innovation in steamboating. The Liberty is introducing a lot of them.

The heirs of T. P. Wall, who want damages from the Pittsburgh & Cincinnati packet line because Wall was accidentally shot by a trouser on the Keystone State, will appear in court at Gallipolis in May, the trial having again been postponed.

Capt. Gordon Greene has introduced wheelbarrows in loading and unloading the steamer Greenwood. He says they have proven a success. The barrows can handle about three times as much small freight as a roustabout can carry. It is also easier on the 'rousters.

### MURDER IN WEST VIRGINIA.

**Angry Words on the Highway Led to the Death of a Young Man.**

LOGAN, W. VA., March 28.—(Special.)—Word reached here this evening of the murder at Breckenridge of Bill Laverty by Jeff Lemon, a neighbor boy. Some angry words passed between the young men when they met on the highway.

Lemon carried a breech loading shot gun and as Laverty started away Lemon fired. The full charge entered the latter's body above the stomach and he fell to the ground dead. After the murder Lemon went to the home of his father nearby, but left there soon and has not since been seen. Lemon was single and Laverty leaves a wife and one small child.

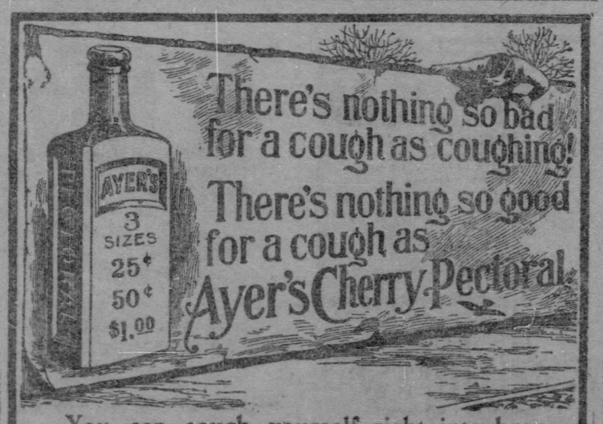
### ACHESON AGAINST ELKIN.

**Washington County Congressman Says He Believes Representative Anderson Was Misquoted.**

WASHINGTON, PA., March 28.—(Special.)—Dr. D. M. Anderson, a member of the state legislature from this county, is said to have made a statement that he is for Elkin for governor, and that the Washington county delegation will support Mr. Elkin's candidacy at the state convention.

Congressman Acheson, in an interview, repudiated the statement so far as the Washington county delegates were concerned, and expressed surprise that Dr. Anderson had been so quoted. Mr. Acheson said he believed Dr. Anderson had been misquoted, as he was confident that he was against Elkin's candidacy.

Mr. Anderson was recently put forward by the county machine for a renomination.

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# PITTSBURGH GAZETTE'S CABLE FEATURES

## BOERS MADE RUNNING FIGHT FOR SAFETY

### Over Thirteen Hundred Managed to Escape Through Gaps in the Lines.

### SOME MADE PRISONERS

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

PRETORIA, March 28.—About 1,500 Boers under Delarey, Liebonberg, Kemp and Wolmarans were within the area of Lord Kitchener's latest movement, but though surprised by the rapidity displayed by the British troops gaps in the latter's lines enabled most of the burghers to escape. The Boer prisoners totaled 179 men, including Commandant H. Kruger and ex-Landrost Neethling of Klerksdorp.

From the first prisoners captured it was learned that Gen. Delarey himself was outside the actual cordon, having slept some distance westward, but Liebenberg, Kemp and other Boer commanders were inside the columns of troops.

The first body, consisting of about 500 Boers, were sighted at 10 o'clock on the morning of March 24 and retreated at full speed, making for a gap between the British columns. A race for the opening ensued. British mounted infantry, which had already ridden upward of 50 miles, pressed their tired horses until many of them gave out, when the men jumped off and raced forward on foot. Some of the mounted men, however, were able to gallop right into the gap, just ahead of the burghers, whom they met with a warm fire.

These troops also succeeded in driving back another body of 300 Boers who were forced to desert the guns they had captured from the Von Donop convoy (southwest of Klerksdorp) in February. The Boers tried to get through several openings, but on each occasion were forced to double back until they ultimately found a gap and passed out of the British lines within sight of Klerksdorp. Night fell before the pursuing columns could overtake the Boers.

Five Canadians who fell out of their column and tried to work their way back were surrounded by a Boer force and made a splendid defense. But finally, seeing their case was hopeless, four of the Canadians surrendered. The fifth, however, indignantly refused to throw down his arms and continued a single-handed fight until he was killed. This was regarded as one of the most heroic incidents of the day.

An illustration of the resourcefulness of the Boers was given by Liebenberg and several hundred men, when taking advantage of the confusion of the drive they they formed a commando similar in arrangement to that of a British column. Moving close to one of the numerous gaps in the British lines, they succeeded in getting safely away before their ruse was detected.

The guns captured from Von Donops convoy were brilliantly recaptured by the Scottish horse, which charged up to the muzzles of the artillery and rose the Boer gunners off their feet before the latter had a chance to fire.

### NEW COAL DEVELOPMENTS.

**Railroads and Mines in Westmoreland County to Be Opened in the Near Future.**

GREENSBURG, PA., March 28.—(Special.)—It is reported that five mining villages and a railroad are to be built along the big Sewickley creek, between Sutersville and Hill Grove, within the next few months. It developed today that several corps of engineers are surveying the route.

Another corps is at work on a road to be built, it is said, by F. M. Osborne of Cleveland, until recently president of the Pittsburgh Coal Company. It was given out that this road will positively be built. The road will connect with the Baltimore & Ohio at Grattstown, and with the Pennsylvania road at Cowansburg. At least five or six mines will be opened in the big territory leased by Mr. Osborne and others.

### ANOTHER BIG DEAL.

**Pittsburgh Syndicate Buys Coal Lands in Fayette County.**

UNIONTOWN, PA., March 28.—(Special.)—The Pittsburgh syndicate which has been buying coal lands in Fayette county for the past few months has added another big deal to its list. The syndicate has purchased the Hill Top coal property, containing 1,000 acres, from the Hill Top Coal and Coke Company. The consideration is said to be $500,000.

The property is situated on the Monongahela river, about 10 miles above Brownsville, and is said to be one of the best coal properties in the county. The syndicate will develop the property at once.

## TROUBLE BREWING IN THE BALKANS

### Bulgarians and Turks in a Scrimmage and Troops Called Out.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

SOFIA, BULGARIA, March 28.—One hundred and fifty Turkish troops attacked a Bulgarian post near Saratach yesterday. One Bulgarian was killed and several were wounded. The Bulgarian garrison is being reinforced by two companies of soldiers.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 28.—The Turkish government has decided to call to the colors 90,000 irregular troops. This mobilization is ostensibly for the annual maneuvers, but in view of the conditions in Macedonia considerable significance is attached to the movement.

### PRAYED FOR PEACE.

**Three Bishops in England Urged Their Dioceses to Ask for a Cessation of Hostilities.**

LONDON, March 28.—A "prayer for peace" was the only novel feature of the observance of Good Friday in Great Britain.

The bishops of London, Rochester and St. Albans issued special appeals to their dioceses to unite in prayer that both the British and the Boers be granted the temper of peacemakers, pointing out that similar prayers are being offered in the Dutch churches of Pretoria.

### BY POPULAR VOTE.

**Democrats of Arkansas Will Choose Candidates for Senator, Congressmen and Governor.**

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., March 28.—The most eventful campaign in Arkansas Democratic annals since 1874 closed tonight and tomorrow each of the 75 counties will hold a primary election to determine its choice for United States senator and state and county officers. Senator James K. Jones, chairman of the Democratic national committee, and former Governor James P. Clark, Democratic national committeeman for Arkansas, are rival candidates for the United States senate, and each has made a thorough canvass. At the respective headquarters in this city tonight each side with apparent confidence claims victory tomorrow. The direct vote in the primary elections will govern Democratic members of the legislature at which Senator Jones' successor will be chosen next January.

Beside the spirited contest for United States senator, the gubernatorial nomination is a sharp bone of contention with Gov. Jefferson Davis contending for a second term against F. W. Rector, a son of the famous war governor of Arkansas. In each of the seven congressional districts the voters will select a nominee for congress.

### LAW WAS TOO SLOW.

**Wyoming Citizens Become Impatient at Its Delay and Lynch a Convicted Murderer.**

CASPER, WYO., March 28.—Charles Francis Woodward, the condemned murderer of Sheriff William C. Ricker, was hanged early today by a mob of 24 men.

Woodward died on the scaffold which had been erected for his legal hanging. To the mob he said:

"Tell my little wife I love her dearly. God forgive me for my sins. I pray for myself, for you and for Charlie Ricker. I never had any grudge against him. I never meant to shoot him. Have mercy on me and my dear little wife."

On his shirt was pinned a note reading: "The process of law is a little too slow. This is the road you will have to travel, murderers and thugs. Beware!"

**Stage-Struck Runaway.**

Nelson Jackson, aged 10 years, of No. 1506 Center avenue, was arrested at the Bijou theater last evening by Officer Harry Rielly by request of his parents. The latter said that he ran away from home yesterday morning and thought he would be found at the Bijou theater, as he had of late often ran away to attend the performances.

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## CECIL RHODES' BODY WILL LIE IN STATE

### Arrangements Completed for the Funeral Service at Cape Town.

### ONLY FRIENDS AT GRAVE

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

CAPE TOWN, March 28.—The coffin containing the body of Cecil Rhodes will be conveyed to the parliamentary buildings here during the morning of April 3 and will lie in state in the vestibule until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when it will be removed to the Anglican cathedral. The cathedral is close to the parliamentary buildings, and there the first portion of the burial service will be read.

The funeral procession will afterward traverse the principal streets of Cape Town to the railroad station. Thence the coffin will be taken by special train to Buluwayo, stopping for a short time at Kimberley. Only a few intimate friends will accompany the body to Buluwayo.

The coffin during the funeral procession at Cape Town will be carried on the gun carriage of "Long Cecil," the famous gun used at the siege of Kimberley.

### FESTIVITIES FOR ALPHONSO.

**Program for the Crowning of the Spanish King Is Now Practically Decided On.**

MADRID, March 28.—The fetes to be held upon the occasion of the crowning of Alfonso XIII. as king of Spain will commence May 12 with a grand review of 15,000 troops at Camp Carabanchel. There will be a gala operatic performance and a concert May 16. The actual ceremony of administering the oath to Alfonso will occur in the chamber of deputies May 18. Upon this occasion Alfonso will for the first time wear the uniform of a captain general in the Spanish army.

After the ceremony in the chamber the king and the court will proceed in state to hear a te deum in the Church of San Francisco el Grande. A banquet to the foreign envoys will be given in the palace that evening.

There will be popular and municipal festivities, bull fights, horse races, balls and receptions during the six days from May 12 to May 18.

**Sued for Criminal Libel.**

Cairoli Gigliotti, connected with the foreign department of the First National bank, brought suit last night before Alderman James R. Connor, charging P. Rovnianek, Mariano Cancelliere and Clchele Robertucci with criminal libel. The suit rose from two articles printed in the Sicilian dialect in the newspaper known as "La Trinacria." The offending articles were printed on January 18 and March 8, and Mr. Gigliotti thinks they were damaging to his reputation. Rovnianek is sued as printer of the paper, Cancelliere as proprietor and Robertucci as editor.

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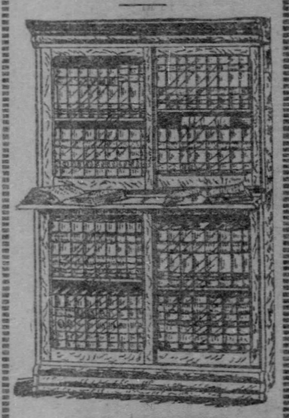

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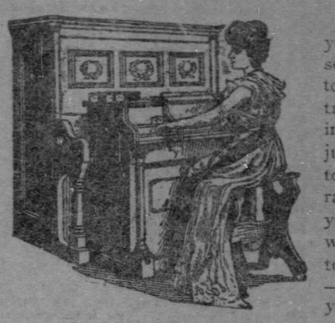

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# HEALTH BUREAU GUARDS AGAINST THE SMALLPOX

## Measures Taken to Prevent Spread of Disease from Railroad Camps.

## STATE PHYSICIANS TO ACT

**Inspectors Will Investigate Loathsome Discoveries of Local Authorities—Pittsburgh Has Been Prepared So Epidemic Is Not Feared.**

The discovery on Thursday of the dangerous character of the smallpox now epidemic in the Wabash railroad camps, and the negligence of the contractors in guarding against a spread of the disease, has caused the health authorities to become more vigilant than ever.

The bureau of health is very busily engaged in endeavoring to stamp out the smallpox which the city physicians say is being brought into the city from the outside districts. It is stated by Dr. B. A. Booth, the city physician, that the township and borough officials do not exercise their full power in compelling people to be vaccinated, as fully 50 per cent of the cases handled by the city are from outside sources. He declares that if the school boards in the townships would take proper care and insist upon every one being vaccinated, the spread of the disease would be very materially decreased.

Two cases were reported to the bureau of health yesterday. One was that of William Hiele, colored, aged 23 years, who was employed on the government dam at Springdale, and the other was that of Jiles Robinson, of 512 Murtland avenue, who came to the city last Thursday from East Pittsburgh. They were both sent to the Municipal hospital.

**Railroad Camps Infected.**

"We have now about 30 cases at the city hospital for infectious diseases," said Dr. B. A. Booth, the city physician, yesterday. "Most of these cases come from the railroad camps near the city and they are nearly all colored people, who have come from Roanoke, Va. I do not care to have the public think that we are having an epidemic of smallpox here, because we are really more free from it than most cities of the same population.

"We had four cases only last week, while Chicago had 19, Indianapolis 81, Portland, Me., 9, Boston 17, Minneapolis, 18, Omaha 32, Jersey City 40, Newark 22, New York city 60, Cincinnati 15, Philadelphia 47 and Houston, Texas, 12. Of these one died in Portland, 6 in Boston, 1 in Omaha, 1 in Jersey City, 3 in Newark, 19 in New York and 11 in Philadelphia. The greatest number of cases here in one week has been 8, and the usual average is from 3 to 4.

**Fifty-Nine Cases Here.**

"Since October 14, when the disease really made its appearance here, we have sent 59 cases to the Municipal hospital, and have quarantined 89 houses. Fifty suspects were also held in quarantine and released, when it was found that they were not affected. We have 18 sanitary officers who are constantly on the watch for infectious diseases, and three of these are specially detailed upon smallpox cases.

"The department has issued orders that no expense shall be spared in protecting the people in this regard, and it has cost many thousands of dollars to do the work. Each patient at the hospital costs about $3 per day, and last week alone we used over 1,000 vaccine quills. The average is about 700 per week, and I have used over 2,000 myself since January 1.

**Warnings Sent Out.**

"In January we sent out a notice to all the large firms in the city calling attention to the prevalence of smallpox, and requesting them to have their employes all vaccinated. This was generally complied with, and the result has been that the spread of the disease was checked to a great degree. The system of public vaccination has also been a great help, and the benefit is shown in the health reports. The presence in our neighborhood of so many colored laborers from the south who have come from infected districts should be a warning to every one to be vaccinated.

"I have today written to the state board of health, reporting the result of my visit to Burgettstown, Cochran's farm and other districts, where I discovered that smallpox was prevalent, and I have no doubt that an inspector will be sent out at once.

**Steps Should Be Taken.**

"Something should certainly be done by the state to quarantine those infected districts.

"We have a system here of making a midnight inspection of all boarding houses and hotels, where the transient laborers, especially those employed on the railroads, are in the habit of lodging, as it is the best time to find them at home. We have three inspectors and two or three policemen with us, and I vaccinate every man who is not able to display a vaccination mark. We have found this to be rather hazardous, so far as we are personally concerned, but it has undoubtedly done much to protect the people from the spread of disease."

**Protective Measures.**

Dr. Alexander E. McCandless, who, as one of the city physicians, is frequently called upon to vaccinate suspects, as well as all the school children, has been to all the hotels in the city and has vaccinated all the employes. "This," said Dr. McCandless, "is done not only to protect the traveling public, but to insure the health of the city. This reminds me that the other day I was called upon to vaccinate one of the colored men from one of the Wabash railroad working gangs. I asked him to bare his arm, and he took off four coats, three vests and five shirts. In explanation of all this covering, he said that he wore all the clothing he owned because he was afraid to leave them around the camp."

## TO OPEN ABANDONED PLANT

**Independents Will Open Crucible Steel Company's Old Portsmouth Plant.**

Some of the sheet steel manufacturers, parties to the association of Independent Sheet Steel Manufacturers, formed in Pittsburgh recently, have purchased the abandoned Burgess steel plant of the Crucible Steel Company of America, at Portsmouth, O. It is expected to have the plant repaired and ready for production of small billets and sheet bars by May 1.

The purchasers of the Burgess plant are the Whitaker Iron Company and the Laughlin Iron & Nail Company of Wheeling, and the Maryland Sheet & Steel Company. Citizens of Portsmouth are to contribute $20,000, to be expended on repairs, in order to have operations resumed at the plant.

The plant is nearly new, having been rebuilt in 1899. It contains nine gas heating furnaces, two annealing furnaces, a pair furnace, six trains of rolls, and four 50-ton open hearth furnaces.

**Arbuckle Lighter Damaged.**

NEW YORK, March 28.—The steam lighter Santos just completed by the Townsend & Downey Shipbuilding Company for Arbuckle Bros., was badly damaged by fire at Shooters island early today. The Santos cost $50,000 and was to have been turned over to the owners today.

# SISTER'S APPEAL SAVES THIEVES

## LITTLE GIRLS BREAK IN AND ROB AN OAKLAND HOUSE.

**Gifts Presented While Shaffer Family Was Moving Inspired Soho Youngsters to Revisit Residence—Stolen Goods Returned on Orders of Policeman.**

"Please, missus, don't do anything more to her. She's only 12, and she has spinal meningitis and she can't hardly talk and pap gave her an awful beatin'."

This appeal from a worn, ill-clad young girl was the sequel to a strange robbery of the house of John Shaffer at No. 248 Darragh street a few days since. The prayer was heeded, for the stolen goods were returned yesterday.

The theft was committed by three little girls. Two large French dolls, a sealskin cape, a cloth cape and a woman's skirt comprised the booty. It was taken while the Shaffer family was moving to No. 3606 Fifth avenue.

In the midst of the moving three children, the eldest of whom was not more than 12 years of age, appeared at the house begging. They were meanly clad, and not one of them had a hat. Mrs. Shaffer gave them each an old hat and a child's desk. Then they started away.

**Visited a Neighbor's House.**

It happened that another family in the same neighborhood was also moving that day and the children were seen to try to get away with a large roll of carpet. However, they were stopped and departed for home, supposedly in the Soho district, with their gifts.

The Shaffer family spent that night in their new home, leaving some things still in the old house. The next day when they went to move the last of the things they discovered that there had been a robbery. A telescope satchel had been left in the dining room, and when Mrs. Shaffer found it the contents were scattered all over the room, as was everything else that had been tied up.

The girls had seen the telescope packed the day before, and they were suspected of the theft. The two dolls had been in the telescope and with the capes and skirt were missing.

**Reported It to the Police.**

Mr. Shaffer reported the theft to the police and yesterday an elder sister of one of the culprits appeared at the Shaffer residence with the stolen property. Everything was intact.

The girl who returned the stolen articles told how the little thief assured her parents that all the things had been given to her by the woman who was moving. Yesterday morning a policeman, or as the elder sister called him, a "cop," appeared at the house in quest of the stolen property, and by his order it was returned. The elder sister further said: "When pap found it out he give her an awful beatin', so please, missus, don't do anything more to her. She has spinal meningitis, and can't hardly talk, an' she's only 12 years old. I wasn't there, and didn't have nothin' to do with it.

**Begged for Clemency.**

"I work in a toby factory, but there was no work today, so I brought the things back. I don't know nothin' about it, but please don't do anything more to her, for pap gave her an awful beatin'."

Mrs. Shaffer's questions elicited these remarks. There is little likelihood that anything will be done with the youthful thief, as now that Mrs. Shaffer has recovered her property she will not take the trouble to prosecute. No person knows how the girls gained entrance to the house, as Mrs. Shaffer says she thought everything had been locked up securely, and she does not know how the children could get in.

## LARGER BICYCLE SQUAD.

**Well Mounted on New Wheels 20 Officers Will Go on Duty in East End Next Week.**

Director A. M. Leslie, of the department of public safety, when superintendent of the bureau of police, originated the plan of having a squad of bicycle police, and during the past two years a remarkably good record for efficiency has been made by the officers who belong to this particular corps. It is now intended to increase the efficiency of this squad and 20 men are to be placed on duty with new wheels, in the East End district next week.

The officers detailed on this particular line of duty are expected to look after houses made vacant during the summer months, to guard against too fast riding or driving in the parks, and to protect the residence district of the city from sneak thieves and other offenders.

As soon as the new wheels that have been ordered arrive, the squad will be placed on duty and will be in service until the winter months set in. They are considered a great protection to the East End section, as the officers are enabled to cover a large territory in a much shorter time than when on foot. All the officers are expert wheelmen and Director Leslie believes that the efficiency of the corps is greater than any other protection furnished, when the cost is considered.

# HOLLIDAY IS RECOMMENDED BY MR. DALZELL

## Postmaster's Name Probably Will Go to Senate Monday for Confirmation.

## ALL THE PAPERS FILED

**Fifty Letters of Complaint, Based on Various Grounds, and a Much Larger Number of Indorsements Among the Documents.**

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
603 Fifteenth St., N. W.,
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.

Representative Dalzell this morning settled the contest over the Pittsburgh postoffice, so far as he was concerned, by recommending the reappointment of Postmaster Holliday for another term. As the regulations give Republican representatives the naming of postmasters in their districts, Mr. Holliday's nomination probably will be sent to the senate on Monday for confirmation. Then the matter will be in the hands of Senators Quay and Penrose, but there are no indications here that they will oppose the confirmation.

This morning Representative Dalzell and Postmaster Holliday called upon Postmaster General Payne and filed with him the charges forwarded by the citizens' committee of 50 against Mr. Holliday and a large batch of letters in favor of Mr. Holliday's retention and commending the service of the Pittsburgh office.

**No Personal Reply Made.**

As neither Mr. Dalzell nor Mr. Holliday considered the charges filed as serious, it was decided this morning that Mr. Holliday should not reply to them. Consequently, Mr. Holliday did not file a denial, as he intended last night, the substance of which was published in today's Gazette.

The charges were contained in 50 letters, signed by the following: Thomas Walker, 1611 Bluff street; David C. Herbst, Duquesne way; A. Dick & Co., printers; W. M. Price, attorney; W. J. Stoney, 424 Fifth avenue; Sidney F. Heckert, 341 Sixth avenue; Dr. L. E. Habbiger, Center avenue; J. M. Lindsay, St. Nicholas building; Mrs. M. A. Woodward, Fifth and Aiken avenues; John A. Hawkins, W. M. Forester, box 888; Miss E. Stebel, 248 Addison street; the Rev. W. A. Stanton, Marchand street; C. R. Bryson, 6025 Kelly street; J. Scott, 140 Erne street; Mrs. John Liggett, 5823 Walnut street; Duquesne Vinegar Company, 5022 Penn avenue; Evan Lloyd, 5108 Hatfield street; W. R. Williams, George W. Acklin, 402 Grant street; W. H. Barker, box 924; Max Essten, H. N. Webster, 620 South Negley avenue; John M. Sims, 52 Seventh street; the Rev. W. Swallow, Mrs. George Wilson, T. C. Gabler, St. Nicholas building; Mattern & Finley Manufacturing Company, Owen McMahon, John Fagan, Hazelwood; T. R. Williams, Ed J. Kretz, Webster avenue and Roberts streets; C. G. Ellwood, 6106 Penn avenue; L. L. D. Reese, Carnegie building; Hussey Steel Company, 215½ Fourth avenue; C. M. Clark, 433 Fifth avenue; Louis Daeuble, 320 Third avenue; Siegfried Drug Company, Highland and Center avenues; the Rev. Chalmers Martin, Pittsburgh College for Women; Jesse T. Lazier, St. Nicholas building; James S. Kirk & Co., 423 Bissell block; John Mellor, the Record, 529 Butler street.

**Grounds of Complaint.**

Classifying the letters, it was found that they were based on the following points: Political mail held up, 1; office run in interest of politics, 3; letters from other offices delayed, 1; late carry delivery, 3; lost mail, letters and postals, 8; delayed letters and postal, 13; nepotism, 2; insulted by clerks, 1; general charges, 2; letters sent to wrong destination, 2; money order clerks ignorant and incompetent, 1; Iron Trade Review delayed delivery, 1; letter addressed Pittsburgh, Pa., not delivered promptly, 1; picture from Boston not received, 1; letter to New York state delayed 32 days, 1; picture in mail to Germany never received, 1; second-class mail not received promptly, 1; foreign mail not received promptly, 1; package received in bad condition, 1; unsatisfactory service, 1; delay in delivery of photographs, 1; Thomas H. Thorn, political activity, 1; failure of general delivery clerk to deliver letter, 1.

**Letters of Commendation.**

In reply Mr. Holliday filed letters from the following certifying to the excellence of the mail service of Pittsburgh under his direction: Commercial National bank, Tradesmens National bank, Peoples National bank, First National bank, Exchange National bank, Diamond National bank, Union National bank, Farmers Deposit National bank, Mechanics National bank, Fort Pitt National bank, Mercantile Trust Company, Oakland bank, Real Estate Trust Company, Pittsburgh Trust Company, Fidelity Title and Trust Company, Pittsburgh Bank of Savings, Marine National bank, Western Savings and Deposit bank, Peoples Savings bank, T. Mellon & Sons bank, Columbia National bank, Union Trust Company, Germania Savings bank, Keystone bank of Pittsburgh, German National bank, Third National bank, Federal National bank, Bank of Pittsburgh, N. Holmes & Son, Freehold bank, Merchants and Manufacturers bank, Fifth National bank, United States National bank, National Bank of Commerce, Monongahela National bank, Citizens National bank, Iron City National bank, Second National bank, Phillips, Nimick & Co., Jones & Laughlins, limited, H. L. Childs & Co., Pittsburgh Supply Company, Monongahela Tube Company, National Tube Company, D. L. Gillespie & Co., Philadelphia Company, Pittsburgh Railways Company, Central District and Printing Telegraph Company, Arbuckle & Co., James C. Lindsay Hardware Company, Doubleday-Hill Electric Company, Clyde Coal Company, A. M. Byers & Company, Brown & Zortman Machinery Company, George B. Hill & Co., McConway & Torley Co., United States Pipe Line Company, American Bridge Company, Octo Oil Company, J. M. Gusky, Homeopathic hospital, Demmler Bros., J. R. Reed & Co., P. C. Schilling Drug Company, Kaufmann Bros., Joseph Horne & Co., Methodist book depository, Joseph Horner, J. & H. Phillips, J. R. Weldin & Co., Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company, Standard Broom Company, The Walther-Robertson Drug Company, Pittsburgh and Allegheny Telephone Company, Pittsburgh Mirror and Manufacturing Company, Colvin, Atwell & Co., A. J. Thresher Manufacturing Company, Bindley Hardware Company, Speck, Marshall & Co., Duquesne Supply Company, Duquesne Sanitary Company, L. H. Smith Wooden Ware Company, Patterson Dry Goods Company, Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict, all the hotels, Solomon & Ruben, National Biscuit Company, R. S. Davis & Co., Stevenson, Foster & Co., William G. Johnston & Co., Groetzinger Carpet Company, Reymer & Bros., H. J. Heinz Company, Horne, Stewart & Co., Snow, Church & Co., Weldon & Kelly Company, I. W. Scott & Co., Wheeling Natural Gas Company, Ohio Valley Gas Company, Pilot Oil Company, Beechwood Improvement Company, Consolidated Ice Company, McJunkin-Straight Dairy Company, A. Garrison Foundry Company, Birmingham Insurance Company, Anchor Nail and Tack Company, C. E. Succop & Son, Duquesne Brewing Company, Fischer Foundry and Machine Company, William Sankey & Sons, D. O. Cunningham Glass Company, Monongahela Water Company, Iron and Glass Dollar Savings bank.

**Request by Holliday Granted.**

After leaving the postmaster general Mr. Holliday called upon Superintendent Machen of the free delivery service and secured four more letter carriers for Pittsburgh required for service in the Frick, Keystone, Arnott and Peoples buildings. A similar request, made by Mr. Holliday a month ago, was refused.

Mr. Holliday left for Pittsburgh tonight well satisfied with the situation.

Representative Jack today recommended the appointment of the following postmasters: C. B. Campbell at Tunnelville, Armstrong county; J. M. Payne, at Guam, Jefferson county, and M. J. McHenry, at Melzer, Jefferson county.

Mr. Jack has also recommended the establishment of rural delivery of mail service at Cowansville, Armstrong county.

Charles Hinish has been appointed postmaster at Graceville, Bedford county, Pa., vice Henry Ritchey, resigned.

On May 1, an additional rural free delivery route will be established at Union City, Erie county, Pa., with William H. Shreve as carrier. The postoffices at Bloomfield and Tillson will be supplied by rural carrier from Union City.

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# MEN NAMED WHO WILL ENTERTAIN THE VISITORS

## Committees for Convention of American Association for Advancement of Science.

## A LONG LIST OF NOTABLES

**Sessions Will Begin in Pittsburgh June 28 and End July 3—Some of the Affiliated Societies Will Convene on Earlier Dates.**

The membership of the committees appointed for the fifty-first convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Science was announced yesterday afternoon by Dr. William J. Holland, director of the Carnegie museum and chairman of the general committee. The sessions will begin June 28 and end July 3. Headquarters will be at the Carnegie institute.

The American Association for the Advancement of Science is composed of the following 10 sections: (a) mathematical and astronomy; (b) physics; (c) chemistry; (d) mechanical science and engineering; (e) geology and geography; (f) zoology; (g) botany; (h) anthropology; (i) social and economic science; (k) physiology and experimental medicine. Each of these sections has its president and secretary, who are invariably authorities on the particular branch of natural science with which their names are associated.

The affiliated societies that are to convene with the American association are: The American Forestry association, president, the Hon. James Wilson, secretary of the department of agriculture, Washington, D. C.; the Geological Society of America, president, the Hon. F. D. Walcott, Washington, D. C.; the American Chemical society, president, Albert C. Hale, Brooklyn, N. Y.; the Society for the Promotion of Agricultural Science, president, W. J. Beal, Agricultural college, Michigan; the Association of Economic Entomologists, president, C. P. Gillette, Fort Collins, Col.; the American Folk Lore society, president, Prof. Frank Russell, Cambridge, Mass.; the Botanical Society of America, president, R. B. Halstead, New Brunswick, N. J.

The American Microscopical society, president, C. H. Eigenmann, Bloomington, Ind.; the American Association for the Promotion of Engineering Education, president, Prof. Robert H. Thurston, director of the Sibley College of Engineering, Cornell university; the American Mathematical society, and the American Physical society.

Some of the affiliated societies will convene earlier than the American association. The Geological Society of America will begin its sessions in Pittsburgh on June 23; the Society of Economic Entomologists and the Society for the Promotion of Agricultural Science will convene on June 26. Prof. I. C. White of Morgantown, W. Va., and J. R. Macfarlane, Esq., of Pittsburgh, have been hard at work arranging for a series of geological excursions, with Pittsburgh as the center, during the week beginning June 23.

The selection of Pittsburgh as the place of meeting this year is the result of an invitation extended in 1900 by the mayors of the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, the Carnegie institute, the Western University of Pennsylvania, and the learned and social organizations in the two cities. Written invitations signed by the mayors of the two cities and the presidents of the above-mentioned organizations were presented at the meeting held at Columbia university, New York, in July, 1900, by a committee consisting of Chancellor W. J. Holland of the Western University of Pennsylvania and John A. Brashear, who had been designated for that purpose. The invitation was received at that time, but as the association stood already committed to go to Denver in 1901, it was understood, as the result of conference, that the invitation would be accepted for 1902 if agreeable.

At the meeting held at Denver in August, 1901, the invitation was repeated by the same parties. Dr. Holland appearing as the representative, and it was formally accepted.

Through the courtesy and kindness of the trustees of the Oakland Methodist Episcopal church, the trustees of the First United Presbyterian church, the trustees of the Bellefield Presbyterian church and the school board of the Oakland district, the auditoriums of these churches and the rooms on the first floor of the Bellefield school have been tendered as meeting places for the different sections, and the trustees of the Carnegie institute have also granted the use of the various reception rooms and lecture halls during the convention.

All the representative religious, educational, benevolent and social organizations in Pittsburgh, Allegheny and suburban towns have been invited to assist in making this meeting the most successful one ever held by the association, and all without exception have taken up the matter with a spirit of hearty co-operation that means the sustaining of our traditional Pittsburgh hospitality.

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**Millvale's Water Famine**—Millvale will be without water on Sunday, as the tanks are to be cleaned.

**Child Killed by Train**—Edward Broski, 2 years of age, was killed by a train at Manor. The child was running to meet his father who was returning from work.

**Judge Reed Made Trustee**—Judge James H. Reed was yesterday elected a trustee of the Carnegie institute to fill the vacancy caused by the death of David McCargo.

**Train Broke in Two**—A freight train broke in two on the Junction railroad at Liberty and Twenty-second streets yesterday morning at 2:30 o'clock. Eight cars of coke were wrecked.

**Was Found Dead in Bed**—Thomas Corrigen, 60 years of age, was found dead in bed yesterday morning at his home, No. 270 Charles street, Allegheny. Heart disease is the supposed cause.

**Many Will Take Examination**—An examination for resident physicians for the West Penn hospital will be held on April 18. There are 12 positions to be filled and already there are 60 applications filed.

**New Plant for Carnegie**—The Carnegie Sheet Steel Company, formed by Pittsburghers to erect a plant near Carnegie borough, has had plans prepared for a six-mill plant. An open hearth plant of two furnaces may be added later.

**Two Feet for the Grocers**—A committee of the Retail Grocers' association and Superintendent of Police McAleese had a conference yesterday which ended by the superintendent agreeing to allow the use of two feet of the sidewalks to the grocers on which to store and show goods.

**Gibson's Head Was Cut Off**—David W. Gibson, 40 years of age, employed by the American Steel and Wire Company on Neville island and living near the plant with his wife and daughter, was run over by a street car at the Neville island bridge while lying on the track drunk and instantly killed. His head was cut off and it rolled down the embankment.

**Made a New Record**—The steamship Savoie of the French line was reported at New York at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and docked at 4 o'clock. It was the record trip of the vessel. Her time was six days, 7 hours, or an average of 21 knots. The news of her achievement was wired yesterday to J. J. McCormick, Pittsburgh agent for the Compagnie General Transatlantique.

**Preacher Gave Bail**—The Rev. P. P. Samuels, a colored minister whose home is on Olive street, was held for court on a charge of assault and battery, not for carrying concealed weapons, by Alderman John Cahill on Thursday night. The charge was made by W. B. White, a neighbor whom Mr. Samuels had previously sued before Alderman John Downey for disorderly conduct in striking Mrs. Samuels and who was fined for the offense. Samuels gave the required bail for trial at court.

**Without Requisition**—Julius Green, who was arrested Wednesday on Chestnut street on a telegram from the Washington (D. C.) police, was taken from the jail yesterday afternoon before United States Commissioner W. T. Lindsay, where he waived a hearing and promised to go back to Washington without requisition papers. Green is wanted on a charge of grand larceny. It is alleged that with his brother, who is under arrest in Washington, he stole a quantity of musical instruments from a firm by which they were employed. Detective Thomas Hartigan came on from Washington yesterday and will take Green back.

**Conductor Got Satisfaction**—George Tristed and George Hillis, both of the Twenty-second ward, were locked up in Central station yesterday afternoon charged with disorderly conduct. The two young men were coming to town on a Suburban car, when a passenger picked up a pocketbook and asked them if they had dropped it. One of them said it was his and took it. The conductor insisted that he identify the contents of the purse, as it was a lady's pocketbook, and while he could not tell the exact amount he said it contained a Canadian dollar, which proved to be correct. The conductor was not satisfied, however, and an argument followed in which several blows were struck. When the car reached Sixth and Wylie avenues the conductor turned them over to an officer.

**It Was a Warm Hearing**—Charles Nolan, known as "Prof. Charles," the Allegheny phrenologist who was charged by Postoffice Inspector Frank A. O'Brien with sending an obscene letter through the mail had a hearing before United States Commissioner William T. Lindsey yesterday afternoon. Nolan, it was claimed, sent a letter to Miss Helen M. Jacobs of Oil City in 1899 which she only turned over to the postal authorities a few weeks ago. Nolan acted as his own attorney and his cross-examination of Miss Jacobs after she had given her testimony resulted in several tilts between the two. Nolan insisted that the woman was an expert blackmailer and used this means to extort money from people. Miss Jacobs denied Nolan's charges and at times the hearing became so warm that Commissioner Lindsey had to interfere. Nolan was held in $1,000 bail for court and bail in that sum was furnished.

**De Reszke Will Sing**—George H. Wilson received a telegram from Mr. Grau yesterday saying that he would be pleased to put Edouard De Reszke into the cast for "Lohengrin" Wednesday night, April 17, to sing the part of the king. This was entirely unexpected by Mr. Wilson and is to be taken as an indication of Mr. Grau's desire to make the Pittsburgh season brilliant at every possible point. "Lohengrin" is the only Wagner work to be performed during the season. The full cast now is: Madame Ternina, Madame Schumann-Heink, Mr. Van Dyck, Mr. Van Rooy, Mr. Blass and Mr. Edouard De Reszke, an incomparable list. The subscription sale continues until April 9, but today is the last day in which "old" subscribers can reserve their places of last season.


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## DEATHS.

**ANDERSON**—Suddenly, on Friday, March 28, at about 2 p. m., GEORGE E. ANDERSON, aged 21 years and 4 months old, eldest son of Thomas L. and Anna Anderson.

Funeral services at his parents' residence, 544 McClintock avenue, Allegheny, on Sabbath afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

**AUSTEN**—On Thursday, March 27, 1902, at 1 a. m., ELLA, adopted daughter of the late Charles and Ann Austen, of Etna, aged 33 years.

Funeral services at the late residence, No. 102 Butler street, Etna, at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. Interment private.

**BACH**—H. M. Bach, Friday, March 27, 1902, at 4 o'clock, in his 51st year.

Funeral services at his residence, 1617 Locust street, today, at 2 p. m. Services at St. Paul's Cathedral at 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

**CLARKE**—On Thursday, March 27, 1902, at 11 p. m., MABLE, daughter of Edward and Elizabeth Clarke, aged 19 years and 2 months.

Funeral from the residence of her parents, Dilworth street, near Natchez, Sunday, March 30, 1902, at 2 p. m.

**GASTON**—On Friday, March 28, 1902, at 11:30 a. m., MILO SMITH GASTON, of heart failure, in his 51st year.

Funeral services on Monday, March 31, at 10:30 a. m., at his late residence, Crafton Terrace. Interment at Bethel cemetery.

**GRAHAM**—On Thursday, March 27, 1902, at 11:30 o'clock, ISAAC C. GRAHAM, beloved husband of Nancy C. Graham, in the 86th year of his age.

Funeral service at his late residence, 204 Hemlock street, Allegheny, on Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock, and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private on Monday morning.

**HEIST**—On Friday, March 28, 1902, at 1 o'clock a. m., SAMUEL HOWARD HEIST, son of Arthur H. and Rebecca Haslett Heist, aged 2 years, 1 month and 9 days.

Funeral from residence of grandfather, John M. Haslett, 175 45th street, Sunday, March 30, at 3 p. m. Interment private.

[Meadville (Pa.) papers please copy.]

**HOWERTER**—On Friday, March 28, 1902, at 4:45 p. m., SUSAN, widow of Jacob Howerter, in her 80th year.

Funeral services at the residence of her son-in-law, S. H. Stouffer, No. 6328 Marchand street, East End, this evening at 7 o'clock. Interment at Steubenville, O.

**LUDWICK**—On Thursday, March 27, 1902, at 7 p. m., at his residence, No. 309 Biddle avenue, Wilkinsburg, SAMUEL P. LUDWICK, husband of Mary L. Ludwick (nee Hilterick), in his 73d year.

Funeral services will be held at his late residence on Sunday, March 30, at 2:30 p. m. Interment at Homewood cemetery.

**MCANDLESS**—On Thursday, March 27, 1902, LUCY COOK, wife of Edward V. McCandless, aged 50 years.

Funeral services at her late residence, No. 4723 Bayard street, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

**RICHARDS**—On Wednesday, March 26, 1902, at 2:15 a. m., at her residence, Benton avenue, Allegheny City, HENRIETTA RICHARDS (nee Born), wife of Ely Richards, in her 40th year.

Funeral services at her late residence on Saturday, March 29, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

**ROBINSON**—On Thursday, March 27, 1902, at 3 p. m., CAROLINE, wife of Frank Robinson, aged 36 years.

Funeral Sunday, March 30, 1902, from late residence at Hoboken, Pa., at 1 o'clock p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

**SMITH**—On Wednesday, March 26, 1902, at 5 p. m., GRACE, the 13 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Smith, at Whitaker.

Funeral services at parents' residence on Sunday, March 30, at 2 p. m.


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## TWELVE PAGES

### The Business Situation.

On Thursday the miners and operators in convention at Altoona reached an agreement by reaffirming the wage scale of 1901. This was the last district convention in the bituminous coal field embracing the three states of Pennsylvania, Ohio and Illinois to take final action, all the others having reached a similar agreement. In effect this means that in these three states, which last year produced more than 110,000,000 tons of bituminous coal—more than one-half the total production of the United States—there will be no interruption from labor strikes this year. There are grounds for hope that an equally satisfactory agreement will be reached in the anthracite coal regions. The miners in the latter had issued an ultimatum in which they declared a general strike would be inaugurated April 1 unless their demands were granted. Through the efforts of the conciliation committee of the National Civic Federation, this ultimatum was withdrawn and another month's time will be available in which to reach an agreement. The assurance that there will be no cessation of work in coal mining will go far toward strengthening confidence in other industries and have a stimulating effect generally in trade circles.

Authorities on the iron market agree that there are no signs of artificial conditions, such as sometimes appear at this season. While there has been a further advance in prices for some descriptions of iron and steel, the upward tendency has been due entirely to the urgency of consumers. There has been no concerted movement on the part of producers to raise prices, and the latter have not been stimulated by speculation. Thus the building operations have not been checked, and the most powerful interests are arrayed against any manipulation which might be of temporary benefit, but which would ultimately drive consumers out of the market.

The further decline in wheat at Chicago is accepted as evidence that the weight of testimony from the winter wheat belt is in favor of the growing crop. The lower price is stimulating the foreign demand, which promises to clear up the exportable surplus before the new crop is ready for market. The speculative position of corn and oats is such as to make the market particularly susceptible to manipulation, and any abnormal prices resulting therefrom should not be accepted as having any bearing upon legitimate crop conditions.

The approach of the first quarterly settlement of the year finds an active money market, but no actual stringency. The surplus reserves of the New York banks are unusually low for the season, and the volume of loans is large. At the same time the government is withdrawing money from circulation through an excess of revenues over expenditures; but during the past week the supply of loanable funds was ample and the legal rate was not exceeded. With the passage of the bill wiping out the war taxes some relief will come before the crop-moving time, and with April disbursements of interest and dividends an easier market in the near future is not improbable.

### The Loafing Nuisance.

A disagreeable feature of the return of springtime is that it calls out of retirement the hordes of loafers who were missing during the reign of winter. From now on until the weather becomes too cold for loafing on the thoroughfares these nuisances, ranging in age from 15 to 60 years, will make themselves obnoxious to the respectable portion of the public by congregating about street corners and other places, interfering with sidewalk traffic, offending pedestrians by their vulgarity and profanity and often deliberately insulting the defenseless. In the business districts the police manage to keep the loafers moving, or at least orderly, but in some residential sections life is often nearly made intolerable by the noise and offensive actions of crowds that infest the corners. Occasionally there is a stampede as the result of a policeman making his rounds, but after he has disappeared the loafers return and the disorder is renewed. A few well planned raids by "plain clothes men," as officers in civilian attire are termed, might do much for the solution of the loafing nuisance problem.

### Our Envoy to Cuba.

The birth of the republic of Cuba on May 20 will make necessary the appointment of a United States minister, a consul general and consuls to the new nation, and the president has sent a message to congress calling attention to this fact and asking that such appointments be authorized. During the days of Spanish domination of Cuba we had a consul general at Havana who was by force of circumstances a minister resident. He did not have the rank, but his duties partook of the character of those of an envoy. Theoretically the relations of Cuba with the United States were regulated between Washington and Madrid, but practically they were agreed on first at Havana between the Spanish captain general and the American consul general. Now the chief diplomatic representative of the United States in Cuba, after Gen. Wood relinquishes control to the new Cuban government, will have the rank and standing of an envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary. The person first appointed to the place will have diplomatic duties of an unusually delicate character. He will need to be a guide and counselor without seeming to be, for it is to be presumed that the young republic will be intolerant of anything that has the appearance of dictation. The adjustment of the relations of the new republic with this country under the provisions of the Platt amendment will also require consummate tact and ability. For years to come there will be no more difficult post in all our diplomatic service than that of minister to Cuba. Fortunately the past few years have developed a number of men capable of filling the place with dignity and honor, and President Roosevelt will find little difficulty in naming a man who will be satisfactory to both Cubans and Americans. Doubtless he has the new envoy already selected, and is only awaiting the authority of congress to name him.

### A Soldier's Last Mistake.

One so-called hero of the latest escape of the forces of Gen. Delarey from the enveloping columns of Lord Kitchener is a Canadian soldier. But unfortunately, though a hero, he is a dead hero. A party of five Canadians rode their horses to exhaustion in the attempt to round up the Boers and continued the effort on foot until cut off and surrounded by Boer horsemen. They fought bravely until four, seeing the hopelessness of their case, surrendered, the other continuing the fight until killed. "This was regarded as one of the heroic incidents of the day," the cabled reports tell us, and doubtless the dead man will have songs written about him and a monument erected at his native place, and perhaps others elsewhere. There is no question that the man was cast in heroic mold, but while his act may be an inspiration to other British soldiers it was an unnecessary sacrifice. His life would be of more value to his country than is his death. As a matter of fact he accomplished nothing by dying as he did and would have shown much better judgment by surrendering and living to fight again. His comrades are more to be commended than he. They live to serve their country. It was said of a certain historic charge by a commanding general, "It was magnificent, but it was not war." It may be said of this Canadian soldier's death, "It was magnificent, but it was not necessary." Therefore it should not be imitated.

### Something for Richardson to Do.

Advices from Copenhagen that the Danish government repudiates both Christmas and Gron, declaring they were not employed by it to further the purchase of the Danish West Indies by the United States and that they will receive no part of the purchase money as commission on the transaction disposes of those two persons for a time, but throws some air of mystery about them. The investigation by congress should now go on if for no other purpose than to reveal just what these worthies tried to do in Washington and what sort of cards they were playing. As the Democratic floor leader, Mr. Richardson, has made himself the prosecutor in the case it will be his duty to develop this along with other things. Christmas and Gron may have been mere adventurers, trying to "butt in" in the hope of developing something somewhere for their own good. If so Mr. Richardson should find it out and make it public. In any event the Democratic leader of the house, having taken the initiative in airing allegations, is under the necessity of carrying his campaign through to success or failure. As the matter stands it is really Richardson who is on trial.

It is apparent from the denials already in that Mr. Richardson in presenting the matter to congress kicked up an unreasonable amount of dust and was guilty of a great deal of what may be termed poetic license in lieu of a harsher name. This is especially true of his characterization of Christmas as an accredited representative of our state department. Danish and American semi-official statements agree that the negotiations between the two governments were direct, with no go-between, and the statement of the United States government is particularly clear that so far as it is concerned Capt. Christmas simply appeared and then disappeared. The state department had nothing to do with him, neither accrediting him to Denmark nor accepting him as a Danish agent. But since Mr. Richardson has taken him so seriously and made so much fuss about publications that were never published when he declared they had appeared, and since he professes knowledge that bribery allegations were made in a secret report to the Danish government by a man declared by Denmark never to have been in its service, it will be interesting of not important to carry the whole matter further that all the light possible may be obtained on Christmas.

### The Constitution's Friends.

Perhaps the most amusing thing in Democratic speeches is the wonderful solicitude of Democratic orators and of the Democratic party for the constitution. They seem to think that they are its natural guardians and protectors, and that no one else has the slightest right to say what it means or to stand between it and a cold and cruel world.

If Henry Watterson meant what he said to the Virginia Democrats, assembled in Washington city to eat, drink and take counsel together, he has become aware of some dark plot to do away with the constitution entirely. He urged his hearers, impressively and fervidly, to resist "this unrighteous scheme to abolish the constitution and Mexicanize the government." These are words of dreadful import, but of the alleged scheme he failed to produce the plans and specifications. He did, however, in his address, refer to the proposed inquiry into disfranchisement in the south, using some of the warmest words in his vocabulary. He spoke of "the piratical flag of negro domination" and "the bloody shirt of sectional agitation," with more of the same kind of language. And all this was prompted by the conviction on the part of some Republicans that a certain section of the constitution should be enforced. Mr. Watterson does not want it enforced.

The fear that the constitution is to be abolished comes with bad grace from its professed friends and self-appointed guardians, who would like to see this section, at least, of that instrument remain a dead letter. The Democrats are earnest devotees of the constitution so long as it does not come between them and their plans for disfranchising negro citizens and yet counting these voteless men to increase their own power in national affairs.

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The many friends and admirers of Capt. Joseph B. Coghlan, who so gallantly served his country as commander of the Raleigh in the battle of Manila bay, will be gratified with the success of his appeal for remission of punishment. The captain had incurred a sentence of suspension while serving in a lower grade, by sending an abusive letter to a navy department employe, and as a result he lost eleven numbers in his grade through being jumped by junior officers advanced in the regular order of promotion. He was advanced five numbers for his services at Manila, and now, after a personal appeal to President Roosevelt, it is announced that all the numbers lost by Capt. Coghlin while under suspension will be restored to him. While the gallant captain may have merited the punishment imposed upon him for what was probably a hasty and thoughtless action, the remission of the principal penalty will be regarded as a measure of justice to the man who risked so much for the honor of his country's flag. It was a pity that any punishment was deemed necessary; it is a pleasure to note that his offending has to a great extent been condoned.

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Col. Quay was characteristically noncommittal, but it is generally understood that he is not in this neck of the woods on a search for Easter eggs.

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David B. Hill is another eastern Democrat whom Mr. Bryan has put into the editorial saw mill without appreciable results.

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New York will now have to worry along for a few days without a murder trial on its hands.

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The weather man has an excellent opportunity to make himself solid with the ladies.

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The Civic Federation might tackle the baseball situation next.

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March's lion seems to have been transformed into a duck.

# HOW THE METROPOLIS OBSERVED GOOD FRIDAY

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, March 28.

Russell Sage was at work today, but there were not many besides him in Wall street offices. Uncle Russell went down to his office and attended to things because he chose to do so, and it was no one else's business. This, in effect, is his explanation. As a whole Wall street was pretty quiet, although at J. Pierpont Morgan's office the clerks were carrying on their routine, as usual. The feeling that Good Friday should be observed as a day of fasting and prayer is pretty strong in this city, and the result of this feeling was particularly marked at what is known as the "rush hour" in the afternoon, when the workers depart for their homes across the East river, uptown or to Jersey. The crowd at the Brooklyn bridge was much smaller than it is ordinarily, and the trains were not packed so that the sides bulged, as they are generally. There were many holiday-makers on the suburban trains, the traffic being mostly toward the city, with a little pointed suburbanward. No matter how much it may be impressed on the populace that Good Friday is not a "holiday" in the ordinary acceptance of the term, there will always be millions of people who will look upon it as a day for seeking amusement. So the theaters had matinees and the "continuous" houses all did a good business this afternoon, and tonight "popular" theaters are packed. The Broadway houses did not do so well, although it cannot be said that Good Friday hurt their business particularly. Of course it rained all day. New York expects that on "Good Friday." According to the old tradition Sunday's weather is like Friday's, so that it augurs a wet day for Easter Sunday. That particular ditch New York will jump across when it is reached, however. It must not be supposed that all the residents of this city have been seeking worldly diversion today. The churches held large congregations practically all day. There was passion service in St. Patrick's cathedral and all the principal Protestant Episcopal churches.

### Steel Combine Circular Delayed.

Contrary to general expectation the United States Steel Corporation circular on the conversion of preferred stock into bonds was not issued today. At the office of J. Pierpont Morgan & Co. it was announced that the circular will not be put out until next week.

### Flower Show in Central Park.

It was a pleasant change from the wet, sloppy, muddy streets to the Central park conservatories this afternoon. This was the first day of the flower show. Although the conservatories are at the Harlem end of the park and consequently a long way from everywhere, the attendance was very large. The show paid for the trouble and annoyance of going through the wretched weather, and the expressions of delight were so numerous that it was evident the visitors felt themselves more than recompensed. Tulips, rhododendrons, dahlias, amaryllis, primroses, lilies, violets, roses were all there in a riot of color and fragrance, which has never been excelled in Central park. The exhibition will remain open for a week or two, a fact which Pittsburghers visiting New York might keep in mind to their own pleasure.

### Subway Workmen a Cheerful Lot.

The water got into the rapid transit subway today, but the thousands of laborers kept at work. They are used to all kinds of uncomfortable conditions, and a rainy day like this does not disturb them to any great extent. The passerby, looking into the excavations, and noting the water and mushy mud at the bottom, wondered how the workmen contrive to keep in such good spirits as they seem about; but McDonald, the contractor, has made up his mind that the tunnel shall be in working order by Christmas of next year, and he will not sanction any stopping on account of the weather, unless it is absolutely impossible to work. There were times last month, while the blizzards and their effects were keeping the city in a state of paralysis, that work on the subway was impossible; but that soon passed away, and work has been going along steadily ever since. A steady rain like that of today was treated with disdain by the workmen. They did a good day's work in the rocky chambers under the streets of the city, mud and all.

### Meteor to Depart Monday.

The Meteor, Emperor William's yacht, will sail away from New York on Monday afternoon. The final arrangements were made this morning, and with the taking away of the yacht, in tow of the Hamburg-American liner Scotia, will end the last chapter in the story of Prince Henry's visit to Uncle Sam.

### Molineux's Sympathy With Patrick.

Roland B. Molineux is said to be much cast down by the verdict in the Patrick case. Molineux likes Patrick personally, and, moreover, he cannot help regarding the decision of the jury in this case as a bad omen for himself. And, when one comes to think of it, this does not argue such a great amount of superstitious trepidation, either.

### Meadows Ablaze.

Every night the traveler across the Hackensack meadows can see as fine a pyrotechnical display as any offered by the illustrious Pain at Manhattan beach in summer. The meadows are on fire. The flames creep—or, rather, rush—across the great space, licking up the dry grass with ferocious eagerness and threatening any little shanty that may happen to stand in the way. Last night the fiery display was magnificent. There were half a dozen lines of fires on different parts of the meadows, and it seemed as if they were racing to see which could devastate the largest space in the shortest time. No damage was done, because the flames all struck the Hackensack river or some of its tributaries before they could destroy the fishing shanties and flagmen's shelters that were so uncomfortably near. While the fires were at their height, however, they reddened the sky to such an extent that many persons in New York supposed there was a costly fire in Jersey City or some of the thriving cities in the state which lie on the very edge of the meadows, or actually in them. The rain tonight has had a discouraging influence on the fires, but they are still smoldering, ready to blaze up as soon as the rain ceases.

### Good Friday Swamps the Stores.

Good Friday, as it is, this has been a great shopping day. In the drygoods and department store district the rush of trade has been so great as to resemble the last week or two before Christmas. Many factories closed down this afternoon, and women who have little time for shopping, with men who consider it a holiday to go with their wives to buy things for the children, were out in force. The clerks in the big stores were swamped. Good Friday is always a doubtful occasion in commerce, and even a the managers of the stores could not tell beforehand whether this was to be an exceptionally dull day or a very busy one. It happened to be a great day for sales, and the clerks have had to hustle. Of course, a large part of the trade was in Easter finery, toys, flowers and ornaments. The anniversary of the resurrection is a great festival day in this careless, workaday town.

### It Takes Money to Close Joints.

Now that Canfield's gambling house in East Forty-fourth street is closed, temporarily, District Attorney Jerome says he could shut up the place for good for a thousand dollars. Some people in New York—many of them—think it would be worth the money.

### Hackensack Meadows on 'Change.

Although the stock exchange was closed today, and will not be open tomorrow, it does not appear that the bulls and bears are taking a rest. At the Waldorf-Astoria tonight the corridors were full of the Wall street crowd that always gathers uptown in the evening to talk over the market, and from the conversation one might suppose that there had been an exceedingly busy day on 'change. One of the stocks that was discussed considerably was the formerly little considered "Hackensack Meadows." Since a syndicate obtained possession of that wide stretch of swamp and meadow grass, the stock has been jumping steadily a point or two a day for weeks. It is dealt in on the curb. The wise ones have had little to say about it until now, but the figures speak for themselves.

### One Show Off, Another On.

The military tournament will close tomorrow night at Madison Square garden; but what matter? The circus will open on Wednesday at the same place.

### Fakirs Selling Bogus Prayers.

A new trick to get money out of poor people has been discovered in Brooklyn. Half a dozen men in semi-clerical garb have been calling on Catholic women in the poorer quarters of the city and selling them prayers ostensibly sanctioned by the Catholic church. They have charged 10 cents each for the prayers, saying that the money was to be devoted to the support of a Catholic community to which the vendor professed to belong. It is not the custom of the Catholic church to sell prayers, and this it is that has led to investigation. The clergy in Brooklyn have issued warnings to their congregations—from the altar in some churches—and the rascals who have been carrying on this original form of swindling will have to go somewhere else. As they are as likely to go to Pittsburgh as anywhere this warning may be useful.

### Colony of Prisoners' Friends.

Ossining, the little village which used to be known as Sing Sing, is likely to rival Fargo, S. D., in time as a place of temporary occupation. Since the family of Roland B. Molineux set the example of taking up their residence there to be near him while he lay in a condemned cell, others are disposed to imitate it. Mrs. Francis, said to be betrothed to Albert T. Patrick, with his sister, father and daughter, are likely to go to Ossining while Patrick is in Sing Sing. That is the announcement made today. It is a pretty bit of sentiment, although it does not appear that it can comfort the prisoner, except sentimentally. Meanwhile the good people of Ossining do not know whether to be pleased or otherwise. Some of them object to being reminded perpetually that there are men under sentence of death at their elbows, although they may like the unfortunate man's relatives. When it is remembered that the name of the place was changed from Sing Sing to Ossining because the prison flavor seemed to permeate the whole place, to its commercial as well as social detriment, it is natural that its conservative folk should look askance at the new way in which the town is made an adjunct to the prison.

### Pork Chop Basis of a Libel Suit.

Richard Mansfield says he did not throw a pork chop at a waiter in Cincinnati. To prove that he did not, he began suit for libel today against the newspaper that first said he did, asserting that the story has damaged him to the extent of $50,000. Mr. Mansfield declares that he did not throw the pork chop at the waiter, and that the statement that he did is "false, defamatory, malicious, libelous and injurious." When the case comes up, it is possible that we shall hear from the waiter, the pork chop and Mr. Mansfield. Whether true or false, certainly the story made interesting reading.

### Secretary Shaw at Ellis Island.

There was excitement among the officials of the immigration bureau at Ellis island today. The secretary of the treasury, Leslie M. Shaw, dropped in casually and looked over things. The officials on the island had a long enough warning to enable them to be prepared for his visit, and he had a pleasant time, with a capital luncheon, while there. He went over to the island from the Battery in company with a truck loaded with bread. He took up several of the loaves and examined them, pronouncing them good. Afterward, when he sat down to a luncheon that would not have disgraced the Waldorf-Astoria or Del's, he remarked that the immigrants were well fed. He would not give any opinion seriously, however, saying that it would be as improper for him to do so as it would be for a juror to discuss a case in which he would be called on to give a verdict later. The officials at the island are all guessing, but Secretary Shaw seemed to have absolutely nothing on his mind as he strolled through the buildings and looked over the grounds with a benevolent smile on his face.

### An Easter Innovation.

Over in Jersey City the Easter feature of the German Evangelical church will be a "sacred concert" in the evening, instead of the usual service. The pastor is the Rev. Gottlieb Andreas. He has engaged a brass band to help the regular choir and will have several local singers outside of his church. In addition to all this Mr. Andreas is to give a five-minutes' talk on some popular subject. He expects a large crowd will attend and that the affair will be a success all around, on account of its novelty, if nothing else.

GEORGE C. JENKS.

### Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

WALDORF-ASTORIA.
Mrs. F. B. McKaig. P. H. Binn.
Mrs. R. H. Binn. R. H. Binn, Jr.
Miss Lytle. W. H. Cochrane.
H. B. Lupton. Mrs. H. B. Lupton.
Miss J. Lupton. J. Bindley.
F. H. Ripley. C. O. McClintock.
C. J. Kelly. J. C. Miller.
D. S. McCann. W. W. McCutcheon.
J. O. Brown.

MARLBOROUGH.
R. P. Duff. Mrs. R. P. Duff.
W. H. Hill.

HERALD SQUARE.
Richard C. Long. J. H. Rose.
Alex. A. Patterson.

IMPERIAL.
Wm. L. Walton. George A. Weldon.
Mrs. Geo. A. Weldon. J. W. Mills.
Mrs. J. W. Mills.

HOLLAND.
Mrs. J. R. Vincent. Miss Snodgrass.
W. M. Thurston. R. G. Wood.
Mrs. R. G. Wood. Miss Wood.
Richard G. Wood, Jr.

STURTEVANT.
A. T. Richardson. William Ladin.

HOFFMAN.
Frank W. Gill.

ALBEMARLE.
Mrs. Geo. B. Edwards. Miss L. T. Edwards.
Miss M. S. Edwards.

FIFTH AVENUE.
Miss Wilmarth. Miss Given.
Miss K. Dannerefels. Fred Dannerefels.

ASTOR.
Miss Overholt. J. T. Hough.
Thos. G. McClure.

MANHATTAN.
J. D. Crawford.

NAVARRE.
W. E. Garrikues.

## PERSONALS.

"It has been the policy of Lafayette college to combine theory with practical knowledge, and our curriculum in the graduation of students to bring fully carried out," remarked Prof. William S. Hall of Lafayette college, Easton, Pa., at Newell's last night. Accompanying him are 10 students of the junior and senior engineering classes on their Easter vacation, which is being spent in examining the varied interests of Pittsburgh. "We left Easton March 19," said Prof. Hall, "and made our first stop at Altoona. After inspecting the car shops at this point we went to Brownsville, where we spent four days in examining and surveying the mines and furnaces in the neighborhood. At Scottdale and Connellsville our examination was extended and full inspection made of the coking system. In McKeesport a visit was made to the National Tube works, and everything of interest was shown to us by the officers. Yesterday we inspected the American bridge works, today we visit the electrical manufacturing plant of the Westinghouse Company at East Pittsburgh. On Monday I will take the class to the Carnegie plant at Homestead, which will finish the inspection. During the summer months a practical school of surveying will be held, and 75 men will be in the field. The classes will embrace the mining and civil engineering departments of the college, and we think the practicable knowledge obtained by the men will be worth more than a year's indoor theory."

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United States Senator R. J. Gamble of Yankton, S. D., passed through the city last night. He occupied a berth in a Pullman on the limited and was inaccessible to newspaper men until a card was sent to him, asking about the corruption in regard to the purchase of the Danish islands. Then the senator came forth and delivered himself as follows: "The Christmas story receives no credence in Washington, and should receive no credence throughout the country. I have no doubt that the investigation will show that the charges are baseless. The chairman of the investigation committee is the Hon. John Dalzell of Pennsylvania, and if there is a grain of wheat in all the chaff he will find it. South Dakota is Republican today and conditions as they now confront us will keep the state in the Republican column. The state is prosperous and money is plenty, and all this has been brought about under Republican rule."

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"The Phipps conservatory in Schenley park is attracting the attention of the botanists of the country," remarked J. C. Wilmer, professor of botany at the Irving institute, Tarrytown-on-Hudson, at Union station. The Easter display, I understand, will be in keeping with that of other years, although nature has been against the management. Smoke and flowers don't go together, but Pittsburgh makes the best Easter display of bloom in the country."

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George L. Potter, general manager of the Baltimore & Ohio, who has spent four days in the city, after his inspection of the line in the vicinity of Pittsburgh, went to Baltimore last night. He expressed himself as very much pleased with the condition of the line which he looked over.

### Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

On the registers of the principal hotels last night were the names of the following from nearby towns:

Victoria—J. J. Leidecker, Butler, Pa.; Jacob Snyder, Wheeling, W. Va.; W. B. Wallace, Wheeling, W. Va.

Lincoln—F. G. Blakelie, Franklin, Pa.

Griswold—E. L. Randolph, Fairmont, W. Va.; E. W. Brownson, Washington, Pa.; J. R. Baldwin, Youngstown, O.; A. E. Hoover, Perry, O.

Monongahela—H. L. Shelly, F. P. Howe Shelly, Tyrone, Pa.; Frank L. Nure, Franklin, Pa.; J. M. Crouch, Clarksburg, W. Va.

Henry—J. A. Woods, New Castle, Pa.; H. W. Thornton, Cambridge, O.; I. Y. Huff, Ursina, Pa.; T. S. P. Wood, Sharon, Pa.

Lincoln—M. B. Barnett, Markleton, Pa.; Charles C. Carter, Morgantown, W. Va.; D. V. Buchanan, Hagerstown, Md.

Newell's—F. O. Rinehart, W. F. Blocka, Waynesburg, Pa.; C. W. Schafer, Youngstown, Ohio.

Seventh Avenue—C. H. Frank, Johnstown, Pa.; J. C. Frederick, Leetonia, O.

## MICHIGAN MINERS STRIKE.

### 2,000 Men Called Out Owing to Failure to Reach an Agreement on Working Conditions.

BAY CITY, MICH., March 28.—An order was issued this afternoon calling out all the coal miners of district No. 24, embracing the entire state. The call will become operative Wednesday morning, April 2, the first day of the month being a holiday in celebration of the advent of the eight-hour day. Over 2,500 men will be affected.

The strike arises over the failure of the miners and operators, in conference, to agree to the scale for the ensuing year. The conference was held last week, and while there was an agreement as to wages, the miners demanded certain conditions for working that the operators refused to give. Both sides have since held firmly to their first position. The operators are, however, in a receptive mood, they say, and will receive any overtures for a further conference.

## THE DEATH ROLL.

### Walter H. Devries.

Walter H. Devries, assistant ticket agent of the Baltimore & Ohio at the city passenger offices, died early yesterday morning at his home in Stanwix street, Mt. Washington. The cause of his death was a stomach trouble, from which he had suffered for over a year, but there had been no expectation of its resulting fatally. Mr. Davies was a native of Sykesville, Md. He was about 38 years old. He had been in the service of the Baltimore & Ohio for nearly 20 years. He came to Pittsburgh about ten years ago from Wheeling, where also he had been connected with the passenger offices. He is survived by his wife, who was a Miss Hamilton of Wheeling. The time and place of interment are not yet determined upon. His long connection with the Baltimore & Ohio had given him a wide circle of acquaintances, among whom he was very popular.

### Mrs. Joseph S. Myers.

Mrs. Lillie Amelia, wife of Joseph S. Myers, died yesterday morning at 7 o'clock at the family residence, No. 8216 Harriet street, East End, after an illness of about two weeks. The primary cause of death was pneumonia, which, although serious from the beginning, was not considered fatal until a few days also. Mrs. Myers was born Lillie Amelia Spencer, being a daughter of the late Edward and Amelia Spencer. Her birthplace was in this city, but her parents resided for a number of years in Allegheny. She was a member of Christ Methodist Episcopal church, Center and Liberty avenues, East End, and took an active interest in all its affairs. She was married to Joseph S. Myers in 1882, and is survived by her husband, two sons, Edward Spencer and Chester Lorenzo; her mother, a brother, Elmer A. Spencer, and a sister, Mrs. C. H. Clough.

### Mrs. Susan H. Barrick.

Mrs. Susan Harbaugh Barrick, 61 years old, widow of Dr. Samuel D. Barrick of Frederick county, Md., died early yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Wilson, No. 508 Wilkinsburg, of pneumonia. She was the last surviving member of an old and prominent family of Maryland and was the mother-in-law of Congressman J. D. Hicks, of Altoona, from whose home she will be buried tomorrow afternoon. Mrs. Barrick was a member of the East Liberty Presbyterian church, and is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Wilson, and Mrs. Hicks, and two sons, Frank Barrick of California and Lieut. G. Barrick of Washington, D. C.

### Thomas P. Pollock.

Thomas P. Pollock of Fourth street, Braddock, died suddenly at his home late Thursday night of heart failure. The deceased was born at Webster, Westmoreland county, in 1842, and removed to Iowa when a young man, where he married Miss Nancy Reynolds of that state. The deceased for the past 25 years had been a resident of Braddock and was employed as a foreman in the Westinghouse Electric works at East Pittsburgh. He is survived by his wife and three children, Mrs. Josephine Evans, William and Findley Pollock, and one sister, Mrs. James McClelland of Braddock.

### John McCaffrey.

John McCaffrey, a well-known resident of Braddock, died late Thursday night at his residence, No. 848 Talbot avenue, Braddock, of pneumonia, after an illness of but a few hours. He was born in Ireland, April 1, 1846, and had been a resident of Braddock for the past 21 years. He was employed at the converting mill of the Edgar Thomson works since it was erected. He was a member of St. Thomas' Roman Catholic church and of Branch 64, C. M. B. A. Six children survive: Thomas, Mrs. Thomas McCarter, John, Ellis, Hugh and Rose.

### Maj. J. R. Claget.

NEW ORLEANS, La., March 28.—Maj. J. R. Claget of the Second United States infantry died here today. He came to New Orleans about two months ago from Fort Thomas, Ky., in search of health. Maj. Claget was a graduate of West Point and had a long record in the Indian wars in the west. He served two years as captain of Company M, Twenty-third infantry, in the Philippines, and became a major last year. The body will leave here tomorrow for Washington. The interment will be at Washington.

### George Presley.

CLEVELAND, O., March 28.—George Presley, a pioneer shipbuilder, died suddenly today of heart disease, aged 82 years. He built the Globe drydocks, and was president of the Globe Drydocks Company until his retirement from active business, in 1878. A daughter and three sons survive him. His wife died five years ago. One of his daughters is the wife of President Eldredge of the National Sewing Machine Company of Belvidere, Ill.

### Mrs. Helen M. Warren.

HUNTINGTON, MASS., March 28.—Mrs. Helen M. Warren, wife of Francis E. Warren, United States senator from Wyoming, died tonight at the home of State Representative H. N. Stanton. She was Mrs. Stanton's only sister, and had been spending the past year in the hills of Massachusetts in quest of health. Senator Warren and her two children were at her bedside. The funeral will be held at Cheyenne, Wyo., Wednesday next.

### Charles E. Ray.

NEW CASTLE, Pa., March 28.—(Special.)—Charles E. Ray, a mill man of this city and a leader in the local Amalgamated association ranks, died last night at his home here after an illness of seven weeks, aged 50 years. He was born in Allegheny county, but had lived here several years. He is survived by three children and his father, John Ray of Armstrong county.

### Horace Langworthy.

WELLSVILLE, O., March 28.—(Special.)—Horace Langworthy, a veteran of the civil war, who served in the First Virginia infantry, died last night, aged 70 years. He had been a prominent citizen of Wellsville for 30 years. He is survived by his wife and three children: Horace of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Ada L. Preslan of Cleveland and Miss Margaret at home.

### William Smith.

William Smith, 77 years old, of Hagerstown, Md., died yesterday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mathilda Rossnetsel, No. 1008 North avenue, Wilkinsburg, where he had been visiting for the past three months. The remains will be taken to Hagerstown for interment tomorrow.

### Mrs. Thomas F. Dowling.

Mrs. Catherine Dowling, 37 years old, wife of Thomas F. Dowling, died yesterday afternoon at her home, No. 10 Wood street, Braddock, of pneumonia. She is survived by her husband and four children, also her mother and two brothers.

### Obituary Notes.

Mrs. William Thompson, a well-known woman of Brookville, Pa., dropped dead Thursday evening while fondling her baby. She was about 40 years old.

Samuel Ludwig, 74 years old, for many years a manufacturer in Wilkinsburg, is dead at his home, No. 209 Biddle avenue, Wilkinsburg, of pneumonia. He is survived by his wife and two children.

The Rev. Dr. H. A. Tupper, one of the most prominent Baptist educators in the country, died at Richmond, Va., Thursday night at the age of 74 years. For 20 years he was corresponding secretary of the Foreign Mission board of the Southern Baptist convention.

Adam Seyler, Jr., was found dead in bed at his home in Youngstown, O., by his wife yesterday morning. He was in the employ of the Youngstown Bridge Company, and leaves a widow and three children. When he retired Thursday night he seemed to be in the usual health.

## NEW CIVIL SERVICE SCHEME.

### Government Employes to Pass Annual Examinations.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.—The civil service commission soon will institute a test system of annual examinations of its employes which if proven practicable, is designed to be extended to all branches of the government service. These examinations will be required of all, regardless of whether they are seeking promotion or not, and the employe will be reduced in grade and pay if they fail to score 70 per cent in the examinations.

The regular efficiency records will be counted on the basis of 40 per cent out of the maximum of 100 per cent. The commission is instituting the scheme in its own offices first before taking steps looking to its general adoption.

### Steel Bill Becomes a Law.

TRENTON, N. J., March 28.—Gov. Murphy today signed the United States Steel Corporation bill which was passed by both houses of the legislature yesterday.

## PRESIDENT'S VETOES STARTS HOUSE DEBATE

### South Carolina Democrat Applauds Roosevelt's Stand Against Altering Desertion Records.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.—The president's policy with regard to the veto of bills to remove the charge of desertion from the records of soldiers came in for considerable discussion in the house today.

The president's veto of the bill to remove the charge of desertion against Emanuel Klauser was laid before the house and referred to the committee on military affairs. The house then proceeded to the consideration of private pension bills.

The first bill on the calendar today was to correct the military record of Calvin A. Rice, and Mr. Talbert of South Carolina made it the text of a speech against this class of bills. He referred to the veto of the president just read, and his other vetoes of like bills.

"I am glad," said he, "to see that the chief executive has come to my assistance to keep the roll of honor from being besmirched by deserters. While I disagree with the president in almost everything else, I heartily indorse his position in this matter."

He moved to lay aside the bill with an unfavorable report.

Mr. Mondell of Wyoming declared that the bill did not seek to remove the charge of desertion. Rice, he said, was an officer and had been unjustly dismissed for being absent without leave.

Mr. Mann of Illinois declared that congress should consider the attitude of the president toward a certain class of bills. He denied that the president had declared that he would sign no bills correcting the military records of soldiers. The president, he said, had objected to the form of some of these bills which, instead of permitting the secretary of war to change the military record, required him to make the change.

Mr. Robinson of Indiana interrupted to say that congress should act as an independent branch of the government. It should not abdicate its powers. If the president does not approve an act of congress the responsibility would not rest with him.

Mr. Mann thought it a waste of time for congress to pass bills knowing they would not be signed.

The bill was laid aside with a favorable recommendation.

### Another Strike Averted.

NEW ORLEANS, March 28.—Street railway employes have accepted the overtures of the street car companies and will not strike. The companies, while not recognizing the union, agree to meet committees of their employes on all subjects that may come in controversy.

## FAVERSHAM WON'T TALK.

### The Actor Refuses to Discuss in Any Way His Recent Divorce.

William Faversham, having said his say to a New York newspaper about his divorce, is preserving a massive silence. He has promised revelations when he returns to the Rialto of the metropolis, but he does not deem the present a fit time for comment on the decree that has separated him and his wife.

The star denied himself to all newspaper visitors at the Aivin last night. Messages that were carried to him were answered by curt refusals to say anything. He set out for the Hotel Schenley immediately upon the close of his performance.

It was whispered in theatrical circles last night that the Faversham management had come to the conclusion that he had said, if not too much already, at least enough to make absolute silence from now on very desirable. It is even said that Faversham received a paraphrase of Quay's famous advice to a former governor of Pennsylvania: "Dear Beaver, don't talk." This, like all other matters bearing upon the divorce incident, could not be verified by any statement from the actor.

## THE PENSION ROLL.

### Veterans, Their Widows and Dependents Provided For.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.—The following pensions were granted today:

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# GREAT WEALTH OF EASTER BLOOM GREETS BUYERS

## Display of Flowers Exceeds Former Years, but the Demand Is Enormous.

## PRICES UNUSUALLY HIGH

**In Spite of the Fact That the Most Common Blossoms Are an Expensive Luxury, Popular Fancy Favors the Higher Priced.**

Pittsburgh florists are displaying a wealth of Easter bloom greater than has been seen in this city for many years. The colors are rich and varied, and the flowers are as perfect as nature could make them. They are in profusion and the dark and cloudy days of March have not affected their coloring. They are full of perfume, and the only thing that is wanting is the buzzing of the bees and the flitting of humming birds amidst the flowers to recall nature in the fields. From pure white to scarlet and running the gauntlet of colors, nature has forced the meadows and woodlands to contribute their remembrance to the anniversary of the glory of the resurrection. In the castle and the hovel the day will be remembered either by a violet or a bunch of American Beauty roses whose every petal is gilded with the gold of commerce.

### Will Brighten Many Homes.

When the glorious Easter morning opens there will be flowers in the homes of nearly every one, whether the simple bloom of the field or the delicately cultivated daughters of the conservatory.

To properly observe the Easter season lovers of flowers are making their collections most varied. Tall stately Passion lilies surrounded by roses, carnations, cinerarias, yellow genistas, violets, daffodils, azaleas and roses are being used. The bulb flowering plants, such as hyacinths, tulips and crocus, are being purchased by those who love flowers, but whose pocketbooks will not allow them to invest in the higher classes of blooms. The simple violet, which is here in great profusion, is rapidly disappearing and will be found in many a humble home tomorrow morning.

### Fine Market Display.

Outside of the florists, one of the finest displays of Easter flowers can be found in the Allegheny market. For the entire length of the market house Ohio street is a mass of bloom. All the hues of the rainbow can be found there, and from the stately lily to the humble violet a purchaser can make his choice. There is some bloom displayed in the Pittsburgh market, but nothing like in former years.

A visit to the leading florists yesterday brought out the fact that the season, not only in sales, but varieties of flowers, is the best in several years. While prices are unusually high the demand for flowers exceeds that of several Easter seasons. Lilies, which are very scarce, are selling at $5 a dozen, while roses can be purchased from $3 to $5 a dozen. American Beauty roses are unusually higher, bringing from $12 to $25 per dozen.

### Prices Are Unusually High.

In the more simple varieties carnations average from $1 to $2 per dozen; narcissus $1 and the potted plants run from $1 to $12 each, which include azaleas, lilies, genistas and hydrangias. One very fine variety of azalea is on exhibition in one of the downtown florist establishments which was brought to Pittsburgh from Germany and budded in this city.

"The Easter flower trade," said a florist yesterday, "is greatly ahead of last year. The demand is for the more expensive kinds of flowers, and we expect to be sold out by this evening. We are the only firm in the city that raises our own lilies, and our stock is about exhausted. The taste in the selection of Easter flowers is as variegated as their colors. From the violet to the rose, choice is made, but always in favor of the more expensive flower.

## A FAIR EASTER DAY.

**Weather Man Promises Femininity of This City Opportunity to Display Spring Finery.**

According to the weather man Easter hats and dresses can be worn tomorrow without danger of being ruined, for he last night predicted that Pittsburgh will be out of the rain belt by late this evening and tomorrow the weather will be dry and cooler. There has been considerable rainfall throughout the United States since Thursday and Pittsburgh was one of the three cities in which the rain fell the heaviest yesterday. In the past 24 hours the rainfall in this section measured .81 of an inch, Memphis .80 and Nashville 2.20.

Yesterday was a miserable day for those who were compelled to be out on the streets, as there was an almost continuous rainfall from early morning. From 8 a. m. until 8 p. m. .25 of an inch fell and during the 20 hours preceding 8 o'clock last night the thermometer varied only four degrees. The maximum temperature for yesterday was 60 degrees, registered at 3 p. m., and the minimum was 56 at 7 a. m.

## MISSION WORKERS MET.

**Presbyterian Women Concluded Convention by Electing Officers.**

The 13th annual meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the presbyteries of Pittsburgh and Allegheny was concluded yesterday afternoon with the reading of reports from various fields. Mrs. John A. Bell, the newly elected president, presided. The afternoon session opened at 2 o'clock. Mrs. John Miller conducted a model missionary meeting, which was one of the interesting features of the session.

The Rev. Howard [illegible]bell, a missionary from Siam, delivered an interesting address on "The Lace Mission." He said the work in that field is progressing favorably. Toward the close Mrs. John A. Bell announced that the annual meeting of the Philadelphia board of missions will be held April 22-26 in Cleveland. Mrs. Bell and Mrs. W. T. Larimer were elected delegates. Miss M. Bigger and Mrs. Stewart Scott were elected alternates. The next annual meeting of the society will be held in Shadyside Presbyterian church the first Thursday of March, 1903.

The following officers for the ensuing year were elected by acclamation: President, Mrs. John A. Bell; vice presidents, Mrs. George A. Kelly, Mrs. Robert Christy, Mrs. Stewart Scott, Mrs. S. S. Hilton, Miss Charlotte Hatfield, Mrs. William Hallock, Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. W. L. Robinson, Mrs. T. D. Davis; recording secretary, Mrs. T. E. Orr; honorary secretary, Miss Ecama Forsythe; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. C. Anderson; leaflet secretaries, Miss Lella Miller and Mrs. Bigham; organizing secretary, Mrs. G. M. Potter; treasurer, Mrs. W. T. Larimer; assistant treasurer, Miss Margaret M. Elder.


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# SOCIETY

BUT little social entertaining, and that of an informal character, is in accordance with the observance of Good Friday. Consequently there was a dearth of social affairs yesterday and the society people who are at home and adherents of the Protestant Episcopal or the Roman Catholic faith were to be seen at the church services.

A pretty social happening in the midst of this dearth of entertaining was the very smart luncheon given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. William Miller Graham at the Hotel Schenley. Mrs. Graham is a former Pittsburgh woman, and is on her way to New York from her present home in Los Angeles, Cal. She is accompanied by Mrs. Deming Smith of Portland, Ore., in whose honor the luncheon yesterday was given. Covers were laid for 10, and the table was exquisitely decorated with flowers, the entertainment being one of the most beautiful ever given at the Schenley. Mr. and Mrs. Graham, until a few months ago, made their home in the East End, living at South Negley and Friendship avenues. Previous to their departure for the west Mrs. Graham spent several months abroad, making an extended European tour. Last summer they moved to Los Angeles, where they have a handsome home. Mr. Graham has extensive oil interests which took him to the west. Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Smith are staying in Pittsburgh a week before going on to New York, where they will be joined by Mr. Graham, and will remain east during the early summer. Later they will return to their home in the far west.

### Urging Pittsburgh's Interests.

Pittsburgh women are going to the meeting of the International Kindergarten union in Boston April 23, 24 and 25 to urge the convention to accept the invitations of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Free Kindergarten association to meet in this city next year. The Pittsburgh delegation will include Mrs. William W. Card, Mrs. James L. Buchanan, Mrs. Edward M. Bigelow, Mrs. S. Jarvis Adams, Mrs. William H. Allen and Miss Sarah B. Kilikelly from the association; Miss Georgia Allison, supervisor of kindergartens in this city; Miss Ruth Tappan, a member of the faculty of the kindergarten college, and others.

The International Kindergarten union is the largest kindergarten organization in the world and comprises over 70 associations in all parts of the United States and Canada. Its total membership is over 7,000. More than 1,500 delegates and visitors are expected at the Boston meeting. Among the speakers announced are Charles W. Eliot, president of Harvard; Henry S. Pritchett, president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Prof. Paul Hanus, and Prof. Earl Barnes, E. P. Seaver and T. M. Balliet. Miss Susan E. Blow and Mrs. Fanny B. Ames of Boston; Miss Anna W. Williams of Philadelphia; Miss Bertha Payne of Chicago, and Miss Lucy Wheelock and Mrs. T. H. Stannard of Boston. Among the officers are the president, Mrs. Alice H. Purnam, Chicago; first vice president, Miss Laura Fisher, Boston, with other offices filled by Prof. Mary D. Runyan, Columbia university; Miss Fannie Belle Curtis, supervisor of kindergartens, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Miss Bertha Payne, University of Chicago, and Miss Harriet Niel, principal of the Phoebe A. Hearst Kindergarten Training school in Washington, D. C.

### Wedding Cards Are Out.

Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Senich of New York have issued invitations for the wedding of their daughter, Mrs. Mabel Oakley, and Mr. Joseph Moran, formerly of Rochester, N. Y., but now of New York city. The wedding will take place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sealch in Riverside drive on Wednesday evening, April 9, and will be followed by a large and general reception. The marriage ceremony will be witnessed only by the immediate family friends. A number of invitations for the wedding have been received in Pittsburgh, where the bride-elect and her parents have many friends. Mrs. Oakley is a granddaughter of Richard G. Berford of this city, the founder of the Pittsburgh Chronicle, later consolidated with the Telegraph under the name of the Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph. Mr. Moran is well known in New York in social and political circles. He occupies the position of private secretary to the mayor, Seth Low. Mr. Moran and his bride will make their future home with Mr. and Mrs. Sealch, whose residence almost adjoins the Orphanage property, purchased a few months ago by Charles M. Schwab, upon which he will build a large mansion as soon as the lease of the present occupants expires, which is the first of April.

### First Annual Art Exhibition.

The first annual spring exhibit of drawings and sketches at the studio of R. L. Sleeth, Jr., Wood street and North avenue, Wilkinsburg, will open on Monday afternoon, March 31. The exhibition will continue afternoons and evenings throughout next week. Last evening a press and artists' view was given.

The artists who are represented in the exhibit are E. B. Bigelow, Parisi C. J. Connick, Frank B. Master, Louis Ruyl, Frank Downey, George D. Ide, Ernst Jahn, N. Converse Wyeth and A. G. Learned of Boston; Hugo Fisher, New York, H. S. Stevenson, F. E. Johnston, D. E. Kornhauser, M. W. Eckley, W. B. Walton, Miss M. J. White and Miss Helen Masson of Pittsburgh; Miss A. L. Beck, with of Wilkinsburg and Miss C. L. Bell of Greensboro, N. C.

### Fulton—Shaw.

Miss Bessie H. Fulton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fulton, and J. Newton Shaw, one of Irwin's popular young men, were married at 8 o'clock last evening at the home of the bride in Irwin. The Rev. E. C. Faxton of the United Presbyterian church officiated. The wedding was strictly a home affair, only the close friends of the two families being present. Supper was served immediately following the ceremony.

### Connelly—Stewart.

One of the interesting home weddings of the week was that of David M. Stewart and Miss Elizabeth Connolly, which was celebrated Thursday evening at the residence of Robert M. Taylor, an uncle of the bride. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. V. McCrory, D. D., pastor of the Third United Presbyterian church, in the presence of the immediate friends and relatives. The bride has made her home for some time at the Taylor residence. She recently returned from an extended European trip. Mr. Stewart is a prominent resident of Wampum, Pa., and has a wide circle of acquaintances in this city.

### Progressive Euchre.

A large progressive euchre was given at the home of the Misses Steele and their sister, Mrs. Kennedy, at Emsworth, on Thursday evening, which was followed by vocal and instrumental music, dancing and a daintily served luncheon.

The prizes were carried off by Miss Nellie Boyd, Wilkinsburg; Mrs. Frank Nelson, Allegheny; C. S. Pontious, Allegheny, and Mr. Richenbergen, Ben Avon. Owing to the heavy rain which set in during the evening several of the out-of-town party became "house guests" till morning.

### Engagement Announced.

The engagement of Miss Elizabeth L. Hutchinson, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson of Fulton street, Allegheny, and Charles William Lepper of Aspinwall, was announced during the week. The wedding will be a quiet home affair, April 29 being the date. Miss Hutchinson is a Bishop Bowman institute girl and popular. Mr. Lepper is the purchasing agent of the Pittsburgh Railways Company. The wedding tour will include Niagara. At its conclusion Mr. and Mrs. Lepper will be "at home" in their new residence in Aspinwall.

JOHN W. ALEXANDER.

The Society of American Artists yesterday opened its 24th annual exhibition in the galleries of the American Fine Arts society, West Fifty-second street, New York. Pittsburgh is represented by John W. Alexander, who was a member of the jury of selection, and exhibits "The Black Cat," which has been seen in this city and is regarded by critics as representing his later and best work. The Carnegie prize of $300 for the most meritorious oil painting by an American in the exhibition, portraits excepted, was given to J. Francis Murphy for his "October Fog." Mary A. MacMonnies captured the Julia A. Shaw memorial prize of $300 for the most meritorious work produced by an American woman with her picture called "Blossoming Time in Normandy," which was recently exhibited in this city. H. Bolton Jones of New York took the Webb prize of $300 for the best marine or landscape, his painting being called "Early Spring." These paintings are among those given highest honors and hang in the Vanderbilt gallery, the most desirable place in the exhibition. The show this year is said to have no great and distinguishing works, which may be due to the fact that the society shows its members' work without a fixed and strict standard of excellence.

### Club Men Dine.

The second annual dinner of the Cornell club of western Pennsylvania will be held at the Hotel Henry Tuesday, April 1, at 8 o'clock. Prof. Henry Morse Stevens and several prominent educators will speak. There will also be speakers representing the local alumni of the Harvard, Yale and Princeton universities. A large attendance is expected, as there are many Cornell alumni in this district.

### List of Boxholders Pittsburgh Opera Season Recorded to March 27th.

Mrs. Thaw, Mr. Harry Darlington, Mr. H. C. Frick, Mr. B. F. Jones, Mr. H. W. Oliver, Mr. James H. Reed, Mr. Charles H. Halcomb, Mrs. George Lauder, Mrs. George Westinghouse (two boxes), Mrs. W. H. Singer, Mr. H. B. Beatty, Mr. Alex R. Peacock, Mr. F. T. F. Lovejoy, Mr. G. W. Elkins and Mr. W. C. McCausland.

### Wedding Day Set.

The date for the marriage of Miss Rebecca Davis of Chestnut street, Sewickley, to Hoer Hurst of Monnsville, W. Va., has been set for Saturday, April 19. Miss Davis is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morrison Davis. The wedding will be a quiet affair, only immediate friends and relatives to be present.

### Returned from Their Wedding Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Flocker of Allegheny have returned from an extensive wedding trip through the south. Until the completion of their new house in Perrysville avenue they will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd, the parents of the bride.

### Notes of Society.

Mrs. L. C. Scott of Dinwiddie street and Miss Matilda Hinely of Bedford avenue will spend Easter at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Martin Zimmerman of New York arrived yesterday morning, to be the guest of Mrs. Joseph A. O'Neill of Sherman avenue, Allegheny, for a couple of weeks.

The Tonquin club will hold the third dance of a series at Penn hall, Wilkinsburg, Wednesday, April 9. The committee consists of Clifford Hartford, Harry Taylor and Dr. Edwin Waugaman.

## CONTESTS HIS MOTHER'S WILL.

**B. F. Shope Alleges His Stepfather Used Undue Influence to Get an Estate.**

Judge J. W. Over in orphans' court yesterday morning held a hearing in the contest over the estate of Mrs. Mary E. Paul, which was begun by George Shope, a son of the decedent's first husband, B. F. Shope. Mrs. Paul died at 5323 Penn avenue, bequeathing the bulk of a $20,000 estate to her second husband, Robert Paul.

It was contended that a short time before Mrs. Paul's death she suffered from a stroke of apoplexy, and that a short time before this she authorized the drawing of her will, but on account of her illness it was never executed. It was also claimed that about a week before Mrs. Paul's death her husband induced a Mrs. McManus to prepare a will for her, and that she signed it with a mark. Shope, the contestant, alleged that Paul had used undue influence over his mother and that she was of unsound mind. Paul denies this. No decision was rendered.

The Fidelity Title and Trust Company took out letters of administration on the $60,000 estate of Jeannette Trauerman.

### LEGAL BRIEFS.

S. E. Sisson of Erie was appointed receiver for Wesser Bros., tanners of Erie.

All of the offices in the court house were closed yesterday. The only court in session was orphans' court, where a short hearing was held.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed in the United States district court by Daniel E. Kastner, a contractor of Wilkinsburg, giving his liabilities as $22,220 and assets as $1,300.


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## DEMOCRATS ARE ANGRY AT KEENAN

**GUTHRIE'S FRIENDS RESENT THE M'CORMICK BOOM.**

**Harrisburg Declaration of the Westmoreland County Leader Rouses W. J. Brennen to a Spirited Analysis of the Arguments in Favor of Capital's Mayor**

Friends of George W. Guthrie are not pleased with Capt. John E. Keenan. In Harrisburg on Thursday the Westmoreland Democratic leader took it upon himself to withdraw all the Democratic candidates for governor and declare that Major Vance G. McCormick of Harrisburg was the man for the party to nominate.

Quite often Capt. Keenan is looked upon as a mouthpiece of Col. J. M. Guffey. Just as often he is talking without the permission of the colonel. This appears to be one of the cases, and W. J. Brennen, who is a close political friend of the national committeeman, makes this reply to Keenan:

"I regard this interview as ill-timed and inconsiderate; when Capt. Keenan undertakes to put out the running of George W. Guthrie, the most conspicuous exponent and advocate of municipal reform, the burning issue of the hour, the one question that is occupying the attention of the statesmen and the people, he is not expressing himself with his usual good sense.

"And then to dispose of ex-Gov. Pattison with a word, seemingly forgetting that he has led the Democratic party of the state to victory twice, and his administration of that high office was so clean and free from scandal and suspicion, that citizens, without regard to party, commend it and make it the standard by which they measure the honesty and dishonesty of other administrations.

"The man who eliminates Robert E. Pattison, with his record for ability, honesty and fidelity to Democratic principles, from the political equation at this time, calculates without his host. I predict that Congressman J. K. P. Hall, Gov. Pattison and George W. Guthrie will not leave the field for Mayor Vance McCormick.

"The Democrats of Pennsylvania, if they exercise care and act with reasonable sagacity, should elect the next governor of this state. But it will require a united party, and perfect harmony in all parts to win, which result is now being promoted by croaking criticism, or discordant predictions by leaders of the party. From my observation and information, I do not believe Capt. Keenan spoke for the Democracy of Western Pennsylvania. I know the Democratic party of this county is for George W. Guthrie, because they know he is honest, capable and true."


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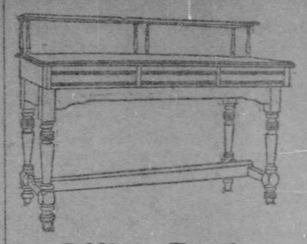

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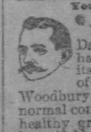

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# Pirates Are Ready for Their Jaunt

## CLOSE WATCH WILL BE KEPT ON MAGNATES

Both President Dreyfuss and Secretary Pulliam to Attend Meeting.

### TO GUARD PIRATE DATES

Local Officials Do Not Care to Take a Chance on Tinkering With the Schedule--Champions' Players Are Arriving for Duty.

It is very probable that when the National league magnates gather in the Fifth Avenue hotel, New York, next Tuesday night to adopt a playing schedule for the season, the Pittsburgh club will have two representatives present in the person of President Dreyfuss and Secretary Pulliam. That is the present plan, and it will not be changed unless Mr. Dreyfuss becomes too sick tot attend.

The Pittsburghers are not going to take any chances with that crowd headed by Brush and Freedman, who might try to work a little game of freezeout, so the club is going to be well represented in case of fire. President Dreyfuss is a very sick man just at present, and the only thing that keeps him out of bed is his desire to be on hand to greet his players, who are arriving on every train. He intends to hold out if he can until tonight, and then after seeing the team safely off for Hot Springs will proceed at once to Atlantic City for a couple of days' rest in the hope that the sea air will bring him about all right.

**Will Not Go With the Team.**

It was originally intended that either President Dreyfuss or Secretary Pulliam should go with the team to Hot Springs, but that plan has been changed, and it is more than likely that both will be at the meeting of the club owners. The Pittsburghers are not at all fearful of results so far as their team is concerned, but the schedule will bear watching, because it may be manipulated in such a way as to give a club the worst of it in the matter of dates. This was worked once before by John T. Brush, who swiped all of the Louisville club's Sunday dates away from the team and afterward claimed it was only a joke. Mr. Dreyfuss can testify to it that the joke was a costly one.

It has been desired by the club officials to turn the players over to the care of Deacon Phillippe, who has been acting for Manager Clarke since the latter went to look after his Kansas farms. The deacon has shown that he is onto the job of manager, and as he is showing himself a first-class reception committee he has the confidence of the club owners. Phillippe was on hand yesterday to look after the players, and he had a very busy time of it chasing from one depot to another. He got through all right, and last night he was glad to get to bed, as he was pretty well tired out.

**Will Lose No Time.**

The arrivals yesterday included Harry Smith, the new catcher, Conroy, the new infielder; Beaumont, Merritt, Lefty Davis and Happy Jack Chesbro and wife. Mrs. Chesbro will be the only lady with the Hot Springs tourists. The other players who are to report here are expected today. Those who are to go to the springs from other points are Manager Clarke, O'Connor, Burke and Leever. A telegram was received from Manager Clarke yesterday stating that he had started for the training grounds and would be on hand to greet the boys on their arrival Monday morning.

The program calls for the team to leave the Baltimore & Ohio depot in a special car at 7:45 this evening. St. Louis will be reached at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, but only a short stay will be made there. The team is expected to reach Hot Springs in time for breakfast Monday morning, and Manager Clarke says no time will be lost in getting down to work.

## FIGHT CALLED OFF.

McClellan and Broad Will Not Meet in Denver--Former Wants a Go With Corbett.

DENVER, COL., March 28.—(Special.)—A severe setback was given the fighting game today by the officers of the Denver Athletic club, who decided not to allow the Broad-McClellan fight to come off there Tuesday night. This is even worse than the blow dealt the game by the police board. Reddy Gallagher was sure of being able to pull the fight off Tuesday night before the D. A. C., and had the tickets printed, knowing that the police would not interfere with any fighting held at the D. A. C. It was thought the fight could be held under a tent outside the city limits, but this had to be abandoned also. Broad and McClelland are disgusted with the turn affairs have taken. Broad left for Chicago today. McClelland will stay until Sunday, trying to arrange a match with "Young" Corbett, under any conditions, to take place in Pittsburgh.

## GOES OUT OF HIS CLASS.

Joe Walcott to Meet a Strapping Big Fighter.

BOSTON, MASS., March 28.—Joe Walcott was matched to fight Fred Russell for a decision before the Wabash Athletic club, Chicago, April 4. Walcott who, it is said, only weighs 140 pounds, is forced to meet a man who weighs 220 pounds and is six feet tall. Ben "Spark" Donnelly, a football player, will referee.

**Brunswick Team Badly Beaten.**

GREENSBURG, PA., March 28.—By a big margin of 185 points the Greensburg bowling team defeated the strong Brunswick club of Pittsburgh. The local team rolled up a total of 2,220 last night. The first two games were won by Greensburg, but the visitors showed improved form in the third game and won by 28 pins. Donches carried off the honors for the local team, and Yockum for the visitors, having the highest total and best average.

**Bowser and Honan Meet To-Night.**

Tonight at Eller's hall, Arnold, what promises to be the most interesting contest pulled off in this vicinity for some time will be that which brings together Mull Bowser and Tim Honan in a 10 round contest for supremacy at catch weight. Both men have been in training for the past two weeks, and are in the pink of condition, and will put up a bout worth looking at.

**Sammy Day Goes to Race.**

Sammy Day, the veteran pedestrian, left this city last night for Detroit to enter the 72 hours race next week. Kid West will leave this morning.


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## FITZ ACCEPTS SOUTHERN OFFER

CHARLESTON CLUB SUBMITS A FINE PROPOSITION.

Will Give 75 Per Cent of the Gross Receipts With Guaranteed Purse of $25,000—Some Doubt Whether Fight Can Be Brought Off.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 27.—On behalf of the Charleston Athletic club J. C. Guadon and W. McLaughlin, members of the southern organization, have made a personal offer to Fitzsimmons for the bout with Jeffries.

The proposition was 75 per cent of the gross receipts, with a guaranteed purse of $25,000. Fitzsimmons immediately accepted the offer. As evidence of good faith the southern club men have agreed to post a forfeit of $5,000 when the contract shall have been signed by the fighters.

**Nothing to Stop Fight.**

Guadon and McLaughlin explained to Fitzsimmons that there is nothing in the laws of South Carolina to prevent a boxing contest between heavyweights from being decided in the state.

"If Jeffries," said the former champion, "is as anxious for the match as I am he will not hesitate to accept the Charleston offer. It is the best and most sincere one that has yet been made for the match. Immediately after articles of agreement are signed by Jeffries and myself the southerners will post $5,000 to be divided between us. Later they will post the full amount of the guaranteed purse money."

Jeffries, who is now in Los Angeles, Cal., has been communicated with relative to the Charleston club's bid.

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 28.—Promoters of the bout between Fitzsimmons and Jeffries propose to have the contest take place at the exposition grounds, where a great arena will be built, plans for which have already been made. There is some uncertainty here as to the attitude of the state authorities in the matter and it is reported that Gov. McSweeney will not permit the contest to take place. An effort is being made to smooth the difficulties and there is hope that it will be found possible to pull off the fight.

**Los Angeles Club Still in It.**

LOS ANGELES, CAL., March 28.—The Century Athletic club is still in the contest for the Jeffries-Fitzsimmons fight, and will make a new offer that will raise the bid of the Charleston club. The prospects for bringing the fight here were considered very slim yesterday, but the offer from South Carolina has spurred the local promoters on to a new effort. The forfeit money posted in San Francisco has been left there as a guarantee of good faith, and the purse money is still on deposit at the Citizens bank of this city. Thomas McCarry, president of the club, said:

"The bid from Charleston does not bother us a bit. We do not believe they can make good and we have good reason to believe that the offer is not bona fide."

## FIVE FAVORITES WON.

This Was the Feature of the Little Rock Races.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., March 28.—The feature of the sport at Clinton park this afternoon was the winning of favorites, the first five coming in ahead. Jockey Lyne rode two winners. The finish between Lady Curzon and Cogswell was the closest of the meeting. Lady Curzon lasted just long enough to win by a nose from Cogswell. Rain fell all morning, and the track was heavy. Summary:

First race, selling, 6 furlongs—Pillardist, 108, Boyd, 8 to 1, second; Brimack, 94, W. Waldo, 30 to 1, second; Jos Collins, 102, Otis, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:20. Junaetta, Pine Chip, Alice Hop and Ira Lena ran.

Second race, selling, 1¼ furlongs—Braw Lad, 115, Lyne, 3 to 5, won; Curd Gilluck, 112, Dominick, 3 to 1, second; Tenny Belle, 108, Bell, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:12. Sir Kingston, John Ford, Woodrow and Accidental ran.

Third race, selling, 6 furlongs—Lady Curzon, 108, Coburn, 4 to 5, won; Cogswell, 107, L. Smith, 5 to 1, second; Salinda, 108, Bell, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:19. Maggie Clopton, Peucer, Siren Song, Butch Miller, George H. Ketcham and Bandrol ran.

Fourth race, selling, 6 furlongs—Schwalbe, 103, Slingleton, 7 to 10, won; Harry Wilson, 107, J. Woods, 7 to 5, second; Trio, 99, Helgeson, 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:28¾. Crescent City ran.

Fifth race, selling, 7 furlongs—Censor, 108, Lyne, 3 to 5, won; Ida Penzance, 98, Helgeson, 5 to 2, second; Prue Wood, 103, Lindsay, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:32¾. Syncopated Sandy, Lovable and Anderson ran.

Sixth race, selling, mile—Algie M., 91, Helgeson, 3 to 1, won; B. G. Fox, 102, Otis, 7 to 5, second; Pay the Piper, 102, Gormley, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:46¾. Salth Coat, Josie F., H. L. Coleman and Lautreatea ran.

Entries for Saturday:

First race, 6 furlongs, selling—Lizzie A., 103; Mildred Allen, 105; Tempse, 108; Birdie Stone, 105; Frank Pearce, 110; La Spara, 108; George H. Ketcham, 110; George B. Cox, 113; St. David, 110; Lady Curzon, 108; Sir Gatlan, Boundlee, 110.

Second race, 4 furlongs, selling—Lady Gallantry, Flora, 105; Duke Dashaway, Bird Mayer, Manzer, 103; The Advocate, 108; Fancy Model, 100.

Third, 5½ furlongs, purse—Ragnarok II., 98; Orla, 95; Maxille, 100; Lady Alberta, 95, and Carl Kahler, 103, coupled; Huntressa, 95; Hainault, Father Wentzer, 105; Little Jack Horner, 115; Stringtown, 97.

Fourth race, mile—Caird Gilluck, 105; W. B. Gates, 107; Chon, 105; Nearest, 103; Plead, 90, and Edgardo, 105, coupled.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs, selling—Nora D., 76; Loona, 99; The Bronze Demon, 98; R. G. Fox, 108; Sir Kingston, 97; Orleans, 101; Fred Heisig, 105; Chickadee, Algie M., 95; Censor, 102.

Sixth race, mile and 70 yards, selling—Frank Jones, 83; Florrie S., 86; Hutch Miller, 102; Missile, 91; Day the Fiddler, Henry of Franstamar, 106; Tea Gown, 100; Cogswell, 102; Syncopated Sandy, 97; John G. Ford, 106.

## GILBERT'S TROPHY.

Captured It by Defeating the Crack Shots.

KANSAS CITY, KAS., March 28.—Fred Gilbert of Spirit Lake, Ia., today won the 50-bird shooting match for the Sportsmen's Review trophy, and thus takes absolute possession of that cup. The contestants were Gilbert, J. A. R. Elliott of Kansas, and W. R. Crosby of O'Fallon, Ill. Gilbert and Elliott tied on 47 out of 50. Crosby losing four birds. In the shoot-off at 10 birds Elliott lost his first. In the shoot-off at 10 birds Elliott lost his first, straight.

**Will Stop Live Bird Shooting.**

COLUMBUS, O., March 28.—The Bannock bill to prevent trap shooting at live birds was passed today by the house without opposition. The bill provides for a heavy penalty for violation of the statute. The Bracken bill to require railroad companies to construct sheds for the protection of car repairers was also passed.

**Among the Amateurs.**

The National Jrs. would like to hear from all clubs of 16-year-old teams for games. Address J. Mahoney, Manager, 1419 Juniata street, Allegheny.

The Aliquippa A. C. baseball team would like to hear from all strong teams in Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio, Ellwood City, Winona, A. C., Emsworth, Bridgeville, Pittcairn, Carnegie, W. S. Haviland, Primrose, A. C., Sewickley, Leetsdale, Hazelwood, Forest A. C. preferred, and all other amateur teams. Address J. Howard Jeffreys, Manager, Aliquippa, Pa.

Boggs & Buhl's baseball club will without doubt put the strongest team on the diamond this season than ever before, and would like to hear from any first class teams wishing games. Address Manager Boggs & Buhl's baseball club, Allegheny.

The Logan A. C. of Allegheny have organized for the season, and are ready to meet all 12 to 13-year-old teams. Address Charles Cookson, Room 33, Fifth ward school, Allegheny.

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## RACED IN RAIN AND DEEP MUD AT BENNINGS

The Betting Crowd Was on Hand, but Other Spectators Were Few.

### FAVORITES AT THE FRONT

Five of Them Managed to Carry Off Their Events—Jockey Burns Rode Three of the Winners—The Going Was Very Heavy.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINTON, D. C., March 28.—Rain today had no effect on the betting faction at Bennings, though it materially decreased the assemblage in the stand. Notwithstanding the heavy condition of the track, the favorites captured five of the races. Elizabeth Moan, Blue Delft, Justice, Charley Moore and All Saints winning. Jockey T. Burns landed three winners. Summary:

First race, five and a half furlongs, purse $300—Elizabeth Moan, 101, Booker, even, won; Cormorant, 109, Odom, 4 to 1, second; Gwynne, 104, Wonderly, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:11. Imperialist, Flo Russell, Albert Enright, Nimonia and Frivol also ran.

**Blue Delft Showed Speed.**

Second race, half mile, purse $400—Blue Delft, 105, Burns, 1 to 2, won; Ida, 105, Blake, 6 to 1, second; Mexicanna, 105, Booker, 15 to 1, third. Time, :52. Adele Harding, Allie Violet and Merry Milden also ran.

Third race, six furlongs, purse $300—Early Eve, 99, Wonderly, 8 to 5, won; Red Damsel, 104, Burns, 3 to 5, second; Princess Ouillie, 114, Odom, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:18. Three Starters.

Fourth race, six furlongs, purse $300—Justice, 112, Booker, 8 to 5, won; Odds and Ends, 112, Miles, 8 to 1, second; High Carnival, 107, Henderson, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:19 2-5. Buck Lodge, Foxey Curley, Ed Flournoy, Gayhilda, The Bandit and Sunny Port also ran.

Fifth race, seven furlongs, purse $300—Charley Moore, 112, Burns, 11 to 20, won; Caithness, 91, Shea, 5 to 1, second; Lac, 96, Rice, 30 to 1, third. Time, 1:31. Jack McGinn, Glinki and Swamplands also ran.

Sixth race, one mile and 70 yards, purse $400—All Saints, 109, Burns, 6 to 5, won; Lou Rey, 120, Odom, 7 to 5, second; Farrell, 107, Booker, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:52 1-5. Cherished also ran.

**The Entries for Tomorrow.**

First race, six furlongs—Cormorant, Chevai, D'Or, 120; Hampshire, 118; Princess Otillie, 113; King Barleycorn, 112; Man-O'-War, 101; Batyah, 98; Alack, 91.

Second race, 4½ furlongs—First Chord, Toscan, Money Lender, Prince Hoadley, Morca, 110; Charlotte Newman, 107.

Third race, mile and a half—Cheval D'Or, 154; Prince Plausible, Farrell, Hop Scotch, 151; Tamarin, 150; Mange, Sheet Friend, 147; Idle Ways, 140; J. A. Warner, The Blue Coast, 137; Water Alone, 135. Couple Water Alone and Farrell as Bradley entry.

Fourth race, five furlongs—Carroll D, 119; Trump, 116; Right Away, The Hoyden, 111; Rendezvous, Flo Russell, Inkling, 101.

Fifth race, seven furlongs—Gold Fox, 112; King Barleycorn, 109; Rough Rider, 105; Water Alone, The Ramos, 105; Flara, The Rogue, 101; Pillbuster, Dr. Korper, 100; Greymorn, Beggar Lady, 98; Locket, 92; Illuminate, 90; Play Like, 86; Astery, 84.

Sixth race, mile and 100 yards—Himself, 126; Orontas, 125; Lou Rey, 121; Charley Moore, 118; Woodtrice, 116, Ohnet, Lam O'Lee, 115; Batyah, 110; Philma Paxton, 107; Fonsoluca, 102.

## TEAM'S MAKEUP.

Marthens, Leader of Duquesne "Insurgents", Issues List of Players for Allegheny Game.

The Duquesne Basketball "Insurgents" team is going steadily ahead with arrangements for the game with Allegheny at Steubenville on Wednesday. The following statement is from their captain:

"The D. C. & A. C. Basketball team will play the Allegheny league team next Wednesday at Steubenville. The team will be composed of players who have been identified with D. C. & A. C. almost from the beginning.

"Ernest Seibel, who for five years played with D. C. & A. C. for two years of which he captained the team, will play one guard. Marthens, this year's captain, will hold down the other guard. This is his sixth year on the team. Kallock, who has been with the team for the past five years, will play center. John Seibel, one of this year's standbys and a member of the team for three years, will play forward. Lou Seibel will play the other forward. This is his first year on the team, but he is playing the game of his life and is considered the finest shot in this section.

"On account of the loss of two players it was necessary to sign two new men, and Chuck Lewis and Orr of the East Liberty team were selected. This team claims to be the strongest ever gotten together in this section and hopes to prove this assertion by defeating the Allegheny team at Steubenville and then Steubenville at Wheeling, thus becoming the undisputed champions of 1901-02."

## NEUTRAL POWERS WATCH EACH OTHER

UNITED STATES CURIOUS ABOUT GERMANY'S POLICY.

The Berlin Government Equally Anxious About Uncle Sam's Attitude on Chinese Question—Neither Bound by Alliance, as Are Other Nations.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]
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WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.—While insisting that the integrity of China and the "open door" are cardinal principles of her oriental policy, Germany has not given assurances that they apply to Manchuria.

Germany and the United States are the two leading powers whose hands in the orient have not been tied by alliance.

A high official of the administration said today that the latest representations regarding China made to Germany referred particularly to reports that the Berlin government is attempting to obtain exclusive concessions in the province of Shan-Tung. The reply was made that no intention exists of demanding exclusive concessions, and that there is no purpose to infringe the "open door" principle to which all the powers had determined to adhere.

Germany's attitude, in case of a war in the orient, naturally has been a subject of considerable interest in Washington. She refused to give to any of the European powers any indication of what course she would pursue in case of hostilities. It is considered not unlikely that Ambassador White may have made inquiries along these lines. If he did so, however, no satisfactory information was obtained. The authorities are in ignorance of the attitude Emperor William would adopt.

On her part Germany has been endeavoring to ascertain the policy the United States would pursue in case of international strife. This government has reserved to itself the right to act as conditions require, and Secretary Hay, therefore, has been disinclined to make a definite statement to any foreign representative in regard to the policy the United States will pursue in the eventuality of war.

A suggestion has been made in diplomatic circles that the United States and Germany should now reach an agreement to guide their future action. The United States cannot, however, enter into any compact which will tie its hands and rob it of freedom of action. The president, undoubtedly would like all the powers to bind themselves by treaty to observe the principles of the integrity of China and the "open door," but no negotiations looking to this end have been begun or are contemplated.


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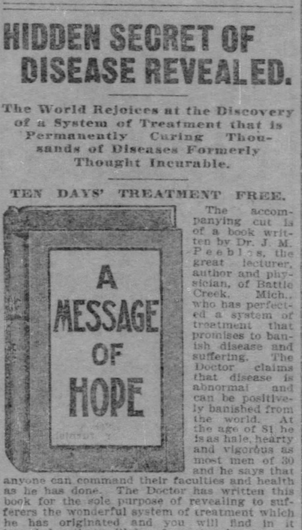

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## BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD

(Eastern Standard Time.)

Leave Station Smithfield and Water Streets.

| LINES EAST. | Depart. | Arrive. |
|---|---|---|
| Cumberland Accom. | * 6:30 am | * 9:05 pm |
| Connelsv. & Mt. Pleasant. | * 8:30 am | † 4:45 pm |
| Wash., Balt. & New York. | * 8:30 am | † 6:30 pm |
| Connelsv., Unt'n & Fairm't | * 8:00 am | * 7:40 pm |
| Connelsv. & Mt. Pleasant. | † 8:00 am | † 9:50 am |
| Connellsville Accom. | * 5:30 pm | † 1:40 pm |
| Connelsv., Unt'n & Mor'gt'n | †12:10 pm | † 9:50 am |
| Connellsv. & Mt. Pleasant. | †12:10 pm | † 1:40 pm |
| Cumb., Wash. & Balt. | * 1:20 pm | * 2:45 pm |
| Connellsville Accom. | * 4:00 pm | † 4:45 pm |
| Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston. | † 5:00 pm | †12:50 pm |
| Phila. and New York. | | |
| "Duquesne Limited." | * 6:30 pm | * 9:15 am |
| Wash., Balt. & Phila. | * 9:45 pm | * 6:10 am |

| LINES WEST VIA WHEELING. | | |
|---|---|---|
| Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac. | * 7:05 am | *10:05 am |
| Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex. | * 8:40 am | * 5:50 pm |
| Wgh. Z'ville & Col. Ac. | * 1:00 pm | * 4:00 pm |
| Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling | * 4:30 pm | * 6:00 pm |
| Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex. | * 5:50 pm | * 7:45 pm |

LINES NORTH OF AKRON.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Chicago & Cleveland. | * 3:30 pm | *12:55 pm |
| Chicago Limited. | * 7:35 pm | * 7:40 am |

(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Butler Accom. | † 7:30 am | † 7:55 am |
| New Castle, Youngstown, Painesv., Butler, Erie. | * 8:00 am | † 7:35 pm |
| Kane and Kinzua. | * 8:00 am | † 5:30 pm |
| New Castle & Butler. | * 8:00 am | * 7:35 pm |
| Butler | †10:45 am | * 7:55 am |
| Butler, Greenville, Erie. | † 1:15 pm | †12:25 pm |
| Ellwood City. | † 3:20 pm | † 2:30 pm |
| Butler, Clarion, Greenv. | † 3:20 pm | †10:45 am |
| Ellw'd, N. Castle, Butler. | † 5:30 pm | † 9:35 am |
| Ellwood and Butler. | * 5:30 pm | * 9:35 am |
| Butler | † 8:05 pm | † 5:30 pm |
| Butler (Tue., Thur., Sat.) | †11:50 pm | † 7:35 pm |

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

BESSEMER & LAKE ERIE R. R.

Schedule in effect Nov. 17, 1901. Trains leave P. & W. Depot, Allegheny.

EASTERN STANDARD TIME.

For Erie, Girard, Meadville and Conneaut, O., 8:00 a. m. and 1:15 p. m. Greenville, Mercer, Grove City and Kelster, 8:00 a. m., 1:15 and 3:20 p. m. All trains daily except Sunday.

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RAILROADS.

Pittsburgh Union Station.

## Pennsylvania Lines.

By Central Standard Time.

| TRAIN. | LEAVE | ARRIVE. |
|---|---|---|
| Chicago and Cincinnati... | * 1:10 am | * 1:45 am |
| Indianapolis and St. Louis. | * 1:10 am | * 1:45 am |
| Ft. Wayne and Chicago. | * 1:30 am | * 1:40 am |
| Tiffin and Toledo. | * 1:05 am | * 1:40 am |
| Indianapolis and St. Louis. | * 4:50 am | * 5:30 pm |
| Wellsville and Bellaire. | * 5:20 am | * 8:40 am |
| Wellsville and Bellaire. | * 5:20 am | * 7:10 pm |
| Alliance and Cleveland. | * 5:20 am | † 1:10 pm |
| Alliance and Wooster. | * 5:40 am | †10:50 pm |
| Jamestown & Youngstown. | * 6:30 am | † 1:20 pm |
| Ohio Valley Express. | † 6:46 am | † 8:35 pm |
| Ft. Wayne and Chicago. | * 7:00 am | * 5:30 pm |
| Ft. Wayne and Chicago. | * 7:00 am | * 5:50 pm |
| Tiffin and Toledo. | * 7:00 am | * 5:30 pm |
| New Castle and Jamestown | * 7:35 am | * 5:50 pm |
| Youngstown and Ashtabula | * 7:35 am | † 5:50 pm |
| Erie and Ashtabula. | * 7:35 am | †10:45 am |
| Akron and Orrville. | * 8:00 am | * 1:45 am |
| Cleveland Fast Line. | * 8:00 am | * 7:40 pm |
| Columbus and Cincinnati. | * 8:00 am | * 5:40 pm |
| Youngstown & Jamestown. | *12:40 pm | * 8:20 pm |
| New Castle and Ashtabula. | *12:40 pm | * 7:50 pm |
| Columbus and Chicago. | *12:25 pm | * 3:30 pm |
| Alliance and Cleveland. | * 1:25 pm | † 7:20 pm |
| Wellsville and Bellaire. | * 1:55 pm | * 7:45 pm |
| Alliance and Crestline. | * 1:55 pm | *12:40 pm |
| New Castle and Erie. | * 4:35 pm | † 7:50 pm |
| Youngstown and Niles. | * 4:35 pm | * 5:50 pm |
| Mercer and Oil City. | * 4:35 pm | * 7:50 pm |
| Wellsville and Bellaire. | * 4:50 pm | * 4:55 pm |
| Cleveland Special. | * 5:00 pm | *11:30 pm |
| Wellsville and Bellaire. | * 5:10 pm | † 9:10 am |
| Chicago Special. | * 6:30 pm | * 7:45 am |
| Chicago Limited. | * 8:15 pm | * 6:00 am |
| Columbus and Cincinnati. | * 8:15 pm | * 6:00 am |
| Toledo and Detroit. | * 9:30 pm | * 6:20 am |
| Beaver Falls and N. Castle | †10:15 pm | † 7:50 pm |
| Alliance and Cleveland. | *11:00 pm | * 5:40 am |
| Akron and Orrville. | * 11:30 pm | † 8:10 am |

Leave for Wheeling, 10:45 am, *8:20 am, †11:50 am, 12:35 pm, 10:15 pm.

Leave for Steubenville, *5:50 am, 8:25 am, 12:35 pm, †4:15 pm, †10:40 pm, †11:35 am.

Leave for Wellsburg, †5:50 am, †2:00 pm.

Leave Allegheny for East Liverpool, Steubenville and Bellaire, *7:15 am.

Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, †4:50 pm.

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In Effect February 20, 1902.

Trains Leave Union Station, Pittsburgh,

as follows (Eastern Standard Time):—

FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON.

| | |
|---|---|
| Atlantic Express, daily. | 2:00 a.m. |
| Pennsylvania Limited, daily. | 7:15 a.m. |
| Day Express, daily. | 7:30 a.m. |
| Main Line Express, daily. | 8:00 a.m. |
| Harrisburg Mail, daily. | 12:40 p.m. |
| Harrisburg Express, daily. | 4:40 p.m. |
| Philadelphia Express, daily. | 4:50 p.m. |
| Eastern Express, daily. | 7:10 p.m. |
| Fast Line, daily. | 9:00 p.m. |
| "Pittsburgh Limited," daily for New York, Baltimore and Washington only. | 10:00 p.m. |
| Philadelphia Mail, Sundays only. | 8:40 a.m. |

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For Titusville and Corry, 6:15, 9:00 a. m. and 10:45 p. m. week days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 10:45 p. m.

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Schedule in Effect Nov. 3, 1901.

| Central Time. | Depart. | Arrive. |
|---|---|---|
| Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer" | * 7:00 am | †11:15 am |
| Youngstown & Cleve. Mail | * 8:25 am | * 9:00 am |
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## Elaborate Musical Programs in the Local Churches Tomorrow.

## SERVICES BEGIN AT DAWN

**In the Catholic and Episcopalian Churches Easter Observances Will Start at the Resurrection Hour. Other Celebrations of the Day.**

The feast of Easter will be celebrated in the Pittsburgh churches tomorrow with especially elaborate musical services. In the Roman Catholic churches there will be solemn high mass at 10:30 o'clock, in each case sung with one of the festival masses left by the great composers, and with anthems peculiar to the day, chosen from the most beautiful music of modern times. In the cathedral the choir of 70 boys will add to the dignity of the musical service by the rendition of the Gregorian responses from the chancel. In several of the Episcopalian churches the boy choir will give the anthems reserved for Easter Sunday in concert, with organ and a quartet of trained voices.

Some of the best choirs of the city are found in the Presbyterian churches, where a fine musical program is always prepared for this season and where a professional quartet shares honors with a volunteer choir, or a group of congregational singers, the effect will be especially inspiring. In many of the Catholic and Episcopalian churches there will be a dawn service, dedicated to the resurrection hour, and at these the Easter anthems and short chorals will be sung, with a brief service from the altar. At the late service the masses and full elaborate ceremonial music will be given, in many cases carrying the recessional hour long past noon.

The programs in the principal churches are as follows:

### ROMAN CATHOLIC.

**St. Paul's Cathedral.**

Processional, "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" ..... Roman Hymnal
Gradual, Fillie ..... Choir of Boys.
Ecce Lacerdos Magnus ..... Singenberger
Chorus and Organ.
Introit. ..... Choir of Boys.
Mass in A Major ..... Cherubini
Chorus and Organ.
Gradual, Haec Dies ..... Habert
Offertory, Gerra Tremuit ..... Greith
Chorus and Organ.
Recessional, Solemnitas Solemnitatum ..... Roman Hymnal
Choir of Boys.
Quartet and choir, Mr. Otten, Organist and director.

**St. Andrew's—Allegheny.**

(Morning.)

Mass in G, entire ..... Millard
Offertory, Regina Coeli ..... Lambillotte
Soprano, Mrs. E. C. Behoe and Miss Maggie Allard; altos, Miss Gertrude O'Connor and Mrs. E. Bush; tenors, Walter Martin and J. Morrell; bassos, T. C. Hehe, John Christ and T. Donehoe, and a chorus of 15 voices under the direction of Leo A. McMullin.

**St. Francis De Sales—McKees Rocks.**

Kyrie ..... La Hache
Gloria ..... La Hache
Credo ..... St. Clair
Offertory, Regina Coeli ..... Lambillotte
Benedictus ..... St. Clair
Agnus Dei ..... St. Clair
"Hallelujah" ..... Handel
Mrs. F. Yazzi, organist.

**St. Peter's—Allegheny.**

Kyrie, Mass in C, No. 2 ..... Haydn
Gloria, Mass in C, No. 2 ..... Haydn
Credo, Solemn Mass in E flat ..... Alexander Guilmant
Offertory, Regina Coeli ..... Paolo Giorza
Sanctus ..... Von Weber
O Salutaris ..... Verdi
Soprano Solo.
Mrs. Margaret McA. Connell.
Agnus Dei ..... Haydn
Quartet, Mrs. Margaret McA. Connell, Miss Anna Reel, Thomas A. Connelly, Joseph A. Brady.

**St. Mary's—Lawrenceville.**

Kyrie, Seventh Mass ..... Mozart
Gloria, Second Mass ..... Haydn
Credo, Seventh Mass ..... Mozart
Offertory, Regina Coeli ..... Lambillotte
Sanctus, Seventh Mass ..... Mozart
Benedictus, Seventh Mass ..... Mozart
Agnus Dei, Seventh Mass ..... Mozart
Director, Charles E. Mitchell; organist, Mrs. C. E. Mitchell; soprano, Misses Katherine B. McDowell, S. Laffer, G. Maloney, E. Reed, A. C. O'Donnell; altos, Misses M. Brigman, Mary Hoolihan; tenors, W. Berger, G. Bridgman; bassos, M. O'Donnell, J. Cox, J. Aniser, W. Horn.

**St. Mary of Mercy.**

Kyrie ..... Marzo
Gloria ..... Marzo
Regina Terra ..... Handel
Contralto solo, Mrs. Joseph Ritter; violin obligato, Joseph Ritter.
Credo ..... Marzo
Sanctus ..... Marzo
Benedictus ..... Gounod
Miss Kane and chorus.
Agnus Dei ..... Marzo
Quartet—Miss Mary Fallon, soprano; Mrs. Joseph Ritter, contralto; George Pearce, tenor; Hugh Kennedy, bass; director, Joseph Ritter; organist, Mrs. H. Kennedy.

**St. Joseph's—Bloomfield.**

Vidi Aquam ..... Peters
Mozart's seventh mass in B flat ..... Novello
Offertory, Regina Terras ..... Curto
(Vespers.)
Vespers ..... Best
Haec Dies ..... Nemmera
Magnificat ..... Stainer
Regina Coeli ..... Wymer
O Salutaris, duet ..... McCabe
Tantum Ergo ..... Wiegand

**St. Mary's—Sharpsburg.**

Vidi Aquam ..... Diebold
Haec Dies ..... G. Stehle
Victima Paschalis ..... N. Haller
Mass in E ..... Max Filke
Offertory, Terra Tremuit ..... Gruber
Easter Sunday in concert, with organ and a quartet of trained voices.
"Hallelujah" chorus from the "Messiah."
(Vespers.)
Easter Vespers ..... J. Lingerberger
Quartet.
Haec Dies ..... J. Lingerberger
Regina Coeli ..... Dr. Francis Witt
O Salutaris ..... B. Kothe
Offertory, Terra Tremuit ..... Rev. L. Gouvin
Te Deum ..... Gruber
Congregation
John C. Glomb, director, chorus 38 voices.

**St. Joseph's—Sharpsburg.**

Vidi Aquam ..... Lambillotte
Mass in G ..... St. Clair
Offertory, Regina Coeli ..... A. Werner
The choir consists of the following: Sopranos, Catherine Cronin, Mary Quinn, Margaret O'Brien, Mabel McNamara and Christina Licker; altos, Mrs T. J. McGivern, Miss Lillian Quinn, Miss Susie Fitzsimmons; tenors, Auley Harper and Patrick Toner; baritones, Clement Noble and Louis Gribben; bassos, John A. Wirth and F. H. Thornton; organist, Catherine Groark.

**St. Augustine's.**

Kyrie ..... Mozart
Gloria, Twelfth Mass ..... Mozart
Credo ..... Humphrey
Sanctus ..... Tours
Agnus Dei ..... Tours
Regina Coeli ..... Werner
Vespers.
Liturgical Chorales.

**St. Brigid's.**

Organ, march pontificial ..... Gounod
Miss Augusta Abel.
Processional, "Alleluia, He Is Risen" ..... Buck
Kyrie, imperial mass ..... Haydn
St. Brigid's choir.
Gloria, imperial mass ..... Haydn
St. Brigid's choir.
Veni Creator ..... Beethoven
St. Brigid's choir.
Sermon ..... Rev. Father Ryan
Credo, imperial mass ..... Haydn
St. Brigid's choir.
Regina Coeli ..... Foeppel
Soloists and St. Brigid's choir.
Sanctus, imperial mass ..... Haydn
St. Brigid's choir.
Agnus Dei, imperial mass ..... Haydn
St. Brigid's choir.
Responses, Gregorian ..... St. Brigid's choir.
Recessional, "Glad Easter Morn" ..... Danks
Boys' choir.
"Hallelujah" chorus ..... Handel
St. Brigid's choir.
Soloists—Misses Gertrude McLaughlin, Annie Eastley, Bessie Cunningham, Charles Neeson, Willis Geoghegan, Albert Roberts. Organist, Miss Augusta Abel; director, Thomas S. Kirk, Sr.

**Holy Rosary.**

Vidi Aquam ..... Haller
Trecienne Masse Solennelle (Pascha) ..... Gounod
Offertory, Terri Tremuit ..... Gruber
Postlude ..... Dubois
Mass 10:30 a. m., vespers and benediction at 7:30 p. m.
J. V. O'Brien, Director.

**St. James'—West End.**

Kyrie ..... Marzo
Gloria ..... Lambillotte
Credo ..... Lambillotte
Offertory, Regina Coeli ..... Hansen
Benedictus ..... Lambillotte
Agnus Dei ..... Lambillotte
Te Deum ..... Forrester
Mrs. James F. Hughes, organist; chorus of 26 voices.

### EPISCOPAL

**Trinity.**

Prelude, Easter pastorale ..... Guilmant
Te Deum in D ..... Sullivan
Jubilate in D ..... Sullivan
Nicene Creed ..... Gilbert
Offertory from "Hymn of Praise" ..... Mendelssohn
Chorus, "All Men All Things."
Recitative, "Sing Ye Them."
Aria, "He Counteth All Our Sorrows."
Anthem, "All Ye That Grieve."
Solo, "The Sorrows of Death."
Chorus, "Hallelujah." ..... Handel
Walter E. Hall, organist; assisted by Frederick Hall.

**Church of the Ascension.**

MORNING.

Processional hymn, 112 ..... Dr. Morgan
"Christ Our Passover" ..... Elvey
Proper Psalms ..... Lawes
Te Deum ..... Lemare
Jubilate ..... Coleridge-Taylor
Introit—"If Ye Then Be Risen" ..... Higgs
Kyrie and Gloria Tibi ..... Naylor
Credo ..... Parker
Hymn 122
Offertory—"Unto the Paschal Victim Bring" ..... West
Sursum Corda and Sanctus ..... Wesley
Communion Hymn, 22 ..... Sullivan
Gloria in Excelsis ..... Stainer
Seven Fold Amen ..... Stainer
Recessional Hymn, 117 ..... Neander
Full vested choir. Miss Henriette Keil, soprano. Edward J. Napier, organist and director.

**St. Andrew's—Pittsburgh.**

MORNING.

Anthem, "O the Golden Glowing Morning" ..... Le Jeune
Anthem, "Christ, Our Passover," ..... Beck
"Gloria in Excelsis" ..... Vogrich
"Te Deum Festival," E flat ..... Buck
Jubilate F ..... Chadwick
Offertory anthem, "As It Began to Dawn," ..... Reed
AFTERNOON.
Anthem, "The Strife Is O'er," ..... Stewart
Magnificat F ..... Stainer
Nunc Dimittis F ..... Lemare
Soprano solo, "I Will Extoll Thee." ..... Costa
Miss Henrietta Keil.
Anthem, "Unto the Paschal Victim." ..... West
Choir—Miss Anna Gertrude Clark, soprano; Mrs. W. A. Lafferty, contralto; David Lloyd, tenor; E. L. Peterson, basso; assisted by Miss Henrietta Keil, soprano; Mrs. Gertrude Schumann Thomas, contralto; Thomas Reed, tenor; C. S. Niesen, baritone; director, Harry O. Burkert, organist at St. Andrews.

**Calvary.**

MORNING.

Processional, "Welcome, Happy Morning." ..... Sullivan
Processional, "Christ Our Passover." ..... Humphrey
Te Deum in F ..... Tours
Jubilate in F ..... Tours
Introit, "Jesus Christ Is Risen Today." ..... Morgan
Gloria Tibi in F ..... Tours
Offertory, "Now on the First Day of the Week." ..... Lahee
Sanctus in F ..... Tours
Gloria in Excelsis in F ..... Tours
Recessional, "Jesus Living." ..... Gauntlett
EVENING.
Processional, "Come Ye Faithful," ..... Sullivan
Psalter ..... Humphrey
Magnificat in F ..... King
Nunc Dimittis in F ..... King
Anthem, "Christ Is Risen From the Dead." ..... Elvey
Recessional, "The Strife Is Over," ..... Pelegrina
Choir—Sopranos, Miss Myrtle J. Meades, Miss Ada Blair, Miss Clara B. Perring, Miss J. M. Cuthbert, Miss Dosia B. Richards, Miss M. McDowell; contraltos, Miss Alice Stephens, Miss Louise B. Rowan, Miss E. E. Evans; tenors, T. P. Geoghegan, C. B. Thomson, H. Joseph, W. J. H. Miller; bassos, C. S. Beggs, W. C. Bird, H. G. Kimball, Herman Hanson; organist and director, Gilden B. Broadberry.

**St. Stephen's—Sewickley.**

Processional Hymn, "He Is Risen." ..... 117
Easter sentences to chant.
Chant for Psalms ..... 315
Te Deum ..... Dykes in F
Jubilate ..... Field in D
Hymn, "The Day of Resurrection." ..... 115
Kyrie in F ..... Tours in F
Gloria Tibi ..... Tours in F
Hymn, "Jesus Christ Is Risen Today." ..... 112
Offertory anthem, "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth." ..... Handel
Mrs. H. M. Fitzgerald.
COMMUNION SERVICE.
Sanctus ..... Tours in F
Hymn, "And How, O Father." ..... 28
Gloria, in Excelsis, old chant.
Nunc Dimittis ..... Moore in F
Recessional Hymn, "At the Lamb's High Feast." ..... 118
The organ voluntaries will be taken from Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise," Gaul's "Holy City," Goldmark's "Spring Overture" and Handel's "Messiah."

**Christ Episcopal—Allegheny.**

MORNING.

Hymn 160 ..... Sullivan
Anthem ..... Schilling
"Christ Our Passover Is Sacrificed."
Te Deum Laudamus ..... Dudley Buck
Festival in E flat.
Jubilate Deo in D ..... Wagner-Holden
Hymn 136 ..... Roper
Kyrie Eleison in C ..... Gilbert
Gloria Tibi in D ..... Woodward
Hymn 121 ..... Palestrina
Offertory Anthem ..... Dudley Buck
Sanctus in G ..... Ely Service
Communion Hymn 226 ..... Hodges
Gloria in Excelsis in G ..... Old Chant
Hymn 125 ..... Dykes
EVENING.
Hymn 112 ..... Lyra Davidica
Magnificat in G ..... Smart
Nunc Dimittis in F ..... Tours
Hymn 122 ..... Gauntlett
Offertory Athem, "The Strife Is Over." ..... Max Vogrich
Hymn 367 ..... Gardini
Choir—Miss Jessie Norrave Douglas, organist and director; Miss Anna L. Safford, Mrs. J. E. Lobinger, Albert Carpenter, E. H. Cassidy.

**St. Stephen's—Wilkinsburg.**

MORNING.

Processional, "Welcome, Happy Morning" ..... Sullivan
Kyri (E flat) ..... Cruickshank
Gloria Tibi (E flat) ..... Cruickshank
Credo (E flat) ..... Cruickshank
Hymn, "Jesus Christ Is Risen Today" ..... Morgan
Anthem, "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" ..... Cruickshank
Sursum Corda (E flat) ..... Cruickshank
Sanctus (E flat) ..... Cruickshank
Benedictus (E flat) ..... Cruickshank
Agnus Dei (E flat) ..... Cruickshank
Hymn, "The Strife Is O'er" ..... Palestrina
Gloria in Excelsis (E flat) ..... Cruickshank
Recessional, "Jesus Lives" ..... Gauntlett
EVENING.
Processional, "Come Ye Faithful" ..... Sullivan
Prelude, Allegro in D ..... Robinson
Magnificat (G) ..... Smart
Nunc Dimittis (E flat) ..... Harris
Hymn, "At the Lamb's High Feast" ..... Elvey
Offertory, "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" ..... Hall
Recessional, "Hark, Ten Thousand Voices" ..... Dykes
Choir—Choirmaster, Gilden R. Broadberry; assistant, H. J. Fox; organist, Lawrence W. Taylor; boys, W. Bailey, M. Bowers, G. Cowen, H. Davies, F. Davies, W. James, C. Jacobs, T. Lewis, T. Murray, R. Murray, R. McGovern, E. Owen, A. Owen, F. Roberts, W. Rowland, C. Snyder, C. Williams; men, Richard Cannen, J. D. Illes, N. F. Orr, G. E. Watkins, William Owen, Harry J. Fox, Jonathan Wootton, W. L. Simpson.

**St. Luke's.**

MORNING.

Processional ..... J. B. Calkin
Christ Our Passover ..... P. Humphrey
Te Deum ..... W. Eastham
Benedictus ..... D. Buck
Offertory anthem, "Why Seek Ye the Living Among the Dead" ..... W. H. Eastham
Choir—Lucy Gardner, Aida Holman, Emma Litschge, Phoebe Henderson, Lottie Weilans, Bessie Hall, Margaret Cole, Blanche Holman, Lena Litschge, Charlotte Morgan, Margaret Palmer, Elizabeth Vaupel, J. Shirt, William Smith, W. J. Smith and Mr. Fermer. Minnie Beaven, organist and choir director.

**Church of the Good Shepherd—Hazelwood.**

Processional Hymn ..... 112
Anthem, "Christ Our Passover" ..... Bennett
Psalms, Proper
Te Deum, "Rose of Sharon" ..... Tours
Jubilante Deo ..... Aldrich
Introitus "At the Lamb's High Feast" ..... Tours
Kyrie Eleison ..... Elvey
Gloria Tibi ..... Monk
Credo ..... W. T. Best
Hymn 121 ..... Palestina
Offertory, "Why Seek Ye the Living Among the Dead" ..... Clare
Sursum Corda-Sanctus ..... Camidge
Benedictus Qui Venit ..... Morley
Agnus Dei ..... Gilbert
Gloria in Excelsis ..... Ancient Chant
Recessional hymn, 122, "Jesus Lives."
Evening.
Children's Festival.
Organist—Miss Kate Wylie; choir director, Joseph Stanier, and vested choir of 50 voices.

### PRESBYTERIAN.

**East Liberty.**

MORNING.

Organ, "O, Sanctissima" ..... Lux
Anthem, "Awake, Thou That Sleepeth" ..... Maker
Soprano solo and chorus, "Resurrection" ..... Shelley
Miss Ellis and choir.
Chorus, "Ye Sons and Daughters of the King" ..... Burdet
Organ, Postlude for Easter Festivals ..... Armstro
EVENING.
Organ (a) Fantasia in form of offertory ..... Tours
(b) "Easter Morning" ..... Malling
Anthem, "I Am He That Liveth" ..... Adams
Tenor solo, "Who Is This King of Glory?" ..... Schnecker
Mr. Vaughan.
"Oh, Be Joyful in the Lord." ..... Adaptation from Wagner
Organ, grand chorus in E flat ..... Guilmant
Solo quartet—Miss Katherine Ellis, soprano; Miss Beulah Kennard, contralto; Edward Vaughan, tenor; A. S. Cowperthwaite, bass; with supplemented choir of 14 voices; Frank A. McCarrel, organist; James Stephen Martin, director.

**Park Avenue.**

MORNING.

Allegro ..... Batiste
"This Is the Day" ..... Sewell
"Why Seek Ye the Living?" ..... Brown
"Christ Our Passover" ..... Schilling
Postlude ..... Tours
EVENING—7:30.
Adagata ..... Lamaigre
"We Shall Not All Sleep" ..... Mozart
"They Have Taken Away Our Lord" ..... Harrington

**Hazelwood.**

MORNING—10:45.

Organ
Easter anthem, "The King of Glory" ..... Danks
Offertory anthem, "Why Seek Ye the Living?" ..... Williams
Anthem, "We Would See Jesus" ..... Alling
Organ
EVENING—7:45
Organ
Anthem, "Allelujah Christ Is Risen" ..... Dennee
Offectory solo, "The Resurrection" ..... Shelley
Easter anthem, "Christ Our Passover"

**Shadyside.**

MORNING.

Organ, Prelude, "Chorus of Angels" ..... Clark
Anthem, "Break Forth into Joy" ..... Barnby
Anthem, "I Will Mention the Loving Kindness" ..... Sullivan
Offertory, soprano solo, "The Resurrection" ..... Shelley
Postlude, "Hallelujah Chorus" ..... Handel
EVENING.
Organ, Prelude, "Traumerei" ..... Schumann
Anthem, "They Have Taken Away My Lord" ..... Stainer
Anthem, "He Is Risen" ..... Gadsby
Offertory, baritone solo, "The Lord Is Risen" ..... Laning
Postlude, "Worthy the Lamb" ..... Handel
Choir includes—Soprano, Mrs. W. C. McCausland; contralto, Miss Helen A. Steinert; tenor, Dan A. Bedden; basso, E. S. Townsend; organist, Joseph H. Gittings.

**Point Breeze.**

MORNING.

Prelude, Allegro in D (manuscript, organ) ... Morton
Te Deum, Festival (choir) ..... Stewart
Offertory, "Andante Grazios" (organ) ... Brown
"Christ Our Passover" (choir) ..... Schilling
"As It Began to Dawn" (choir) ..... Reed
Postlude, "Festival March" (organ) ... Dunster
EVENING.
Prelude, Melody in F flat (organ) ..... Nava
"This Is the day" ... Blumenschein
"Lift Your Glad Voices" (choir) ... Van-Lear
Postlude, "Triumpnal March" (organ) ... Dolby
Choir—Soprano, Emma D. Burke; alto, Clara E. McClain; tenor, Scott Beddow; basso, George F. Wagner; organist, C. E. Willoughby.

**Second.**

MORNING.

Adagio ..... Batiste
Gerrert's Orchestra and Organ.
Chorus processional. "The Risen Saviour" ..... Meredith
Opening anthem, "Hallelujah Chorus." ..... Handel
Sentence, "Create in Me a Clean Heart." ..... Morton
Offertory anthem, "Unfold Ye Portals." ..... Redemption
Chorus, Organ and Orchestra.
Recessional, Tannhauser march ..... Wagner
Orchestra and Organ.
EVENING.
Organ voluntary ..... Andante
Samuel Brown.
Processional, "Death Has Lost Its Sting." ..... Tullar
Soprano solo, "Ave Maria." ..... Mascagni
Edna McFarland.
Opening anthem, "Babylon." ..... Shilling
Michael Watson
Chorus.
Soprano solo, "Sacred." ..... Selected
Mrs. Lancaster Archer.
Offertory anthem, "Now the Day Is Over." ..... J. Christopher Marks
Chorus.
Organ recessional ..... Preludium
Samuel Brown.
Chorus of 100 trained mixed voices at both services; morning service chorus assisted by Mrs. Sam Brown, soprano soloist; B. F. Butts, musical director; S. M. Brown, organist.

**Sixth.**

MORNING.

Anthem, "Glory Be to God on High." ... Morrison
Anthem, "I Am He That Liveth." ... Simper
Offertory solo, "Resurrection." ... Shelley
Miss M. Gertrude McCandless.
EVENING.
Anthem, "O Be Joyful in the Lord." ... Nevin
Offertory solo, "The Resurrection." ... Tosti
Mr. Robert Johnson.
William M. Stevenson, organist and choirmaster.

**Highland.**

Organ prelude, grand chorus ..... Salome
Anthem, "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" ..... Oetting
Anthem, "Lift Your Glad Voices." ... Holden
Soprano solo, "Hosanna." ..... Granier
Anthem, "The Choir Angelic." ... Ransom
Tenor solo, "Come See the Place Where Jesus Lay." ..... Norris
Organ postlude, festal march ..... Meyerbeer
EVENING.
Organ prelude, andantino ..... Lemare
Anthem, "Christ Is Risen, Hallelujah." ..... Schneeker
Anthem, "Thine Is the Kingdom." ..... Geib
Tenor solo, "The King of Glory" ..... Coombs
Soprano solo, "Life Again Today." ... Neidlinger
Organ postlude, grand march ..... Reinecke
Choir—Sopranos, Miss Callie O'Neil, Miss Lottie L. John, Miss Florence Mann, alto, Miss Lillian MacArthur; tenors, F. C. Frenmantel and Charles McKee; basses, Harry Lewis and William Kirker, Jr.; organist, Miss Matilda Reifschecke; director, Frederic Charles Freemantel.

**First.**

MORNING.

Organ, offertory in F ..... Batiste
Anthem, "Christ Our Passover." ... Schilling
Soprano solo, "The Resurrection." ... Ad. M. Foerster
Mrs. Capen.
Anthem, "Christ the Lord Is Risen." ... Rogers
Easter carol, "At the Matin Hour." ... H. Brookes Day
EVENING.
Organ, "Hosanna" ..... Paul Wachs
Cantata for solo voices and chorus.
"Easter Eve and Morn" ..... Fred. Stevenson
The cantata is a half-hour long and will be divided into three parts.
Soprano, Mrs. J. E. Capen; tenor, Dan E. Nuttall; alto, Mrs. D. E. Rundle; bass, John A. Strouse; organist and director, John A. Bell; assisted by an extra quartet.

**Bellefield.**

MORNING.

Anthem, "The Strife Is O'er; the Battle Done." ..... Cutler
Anthem, "Come See the Place." ... Hodson
Contralto solo, "The Angels' Message," ... Miss Christina Miller.
EVENING.
Anthem, "Hark the Voice of Joy." ...
Anthem, "Faintly and Soft." ... Schnecker
Organist, Edward Lloyd; choir, Mrs. W. B. Wolf, soprano; Miss Christina Miller, contralto; R. N. Heath, tenor; C. Steele Clark, bass.

**East End.**

MORNING.

Organ prelude (Peer Gynt Suite) ..... Grieg
Anthem, "Christ Our Passover" ... D. Buck
Hymn, No. 194, "He Lives, the Great Redeemer Lives" ...
Anthem, "Easter Morn." ... Porter
Hymn, No. 100, "Hark, Ten Thousand Harps and Voices" ...
Solo, "The Lord Is Risen." ... Lansing
Miss Clapper.
Hymn No. 191, "See, the Conqueror Mounts in Triumph" ... Wagner
Organ postlude, "King's Prayer," ... Wagner
Organ prelude, "Hallelujah Chorus." ... Handel
Anthem, "Thanks Be to God." ... Smallwood
Solo, "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth." ... Handel
Miss Freshwater.
Anthem, "Christ Is Risen," Wagner-Neidlinger
Solo, "The King of Glory." ... Coombs
Anthem, Sanctus; Holy, Holy, Lord," Gounod
Solo, Easter Song; "Hosanna." ... Granier
Miss Cassey.
Anthem, "Christ Our Passover." ... Schilling
Hymn No. 624
Solo, "The Resurrection." ... Shelley
Mr. Dungan.
Anthem, "The Day Is Ended" ... Bartlett
(With violin obligato.)
Organ postlude, "Tannhauser March." Wagner

### METHODIST PROTESTANT.

**First.**

MORNING.

Prelude, "Star of Hope" ..... Batist
Doxology and Invocation.
Resurrection ..... Shelley
The Lord of Life ..... Holt
Offertory ..... Selma
Immortality ..... Sheppard

**Bellevue.**

MORNING.

Organ, Melodie ..... Guilmant
Anthem, "Christ Our Passover" ... Shilling
Solo Tenor, "Resurrection Dawn" ... Shelley
Organ Prelude in C ..... Lemmens
Anthem, "This Is the Day" ... Hall
Solo, "Resurrection Morn" ... Schnecker
Quartet—Soprano, Miss Ada Jane Reno; contralto, Miss Carrie Seaman; tenor, Walter C. Mears; basso, Roy R. Hamilton. Organist, Miss Mary Murray.

### METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

**Christ.**

MORNING.

Prelude, old Easter melody ..... West
Anthem, "Christ, the Lord, Is Risen Today" ..... Buck
Offertory solo, "The Lord Is Risen," from "Light of the World" ... Sullivan
Anthem, "King All Glorious" ... Barnby
Postlude, "Hallelujah Chorus" ... Handel
(Evening.)
Prelude (tone picture). "Evening" ... Buck
Anthem, "This Is the Day" ... Cooke
Offertory, "As It Began to Dawn" ... Vincent
Postlude, Festal March" ... Dubois
Choir of 16. Soloists—Miss Anna E. Freeland, soprano; Miss Susan E. Brooke, contralto; Frank M. Stephenson, baritone; Sydney Trick, organist; Mark C. Baker, tenor and director.

**Calvary—Allegheny.**

MORNING.

Organ, sonata in D natural ..... Rheinberger
"Welcome, Happy Morning" ... Schnecker
"He Is Risen" ... Shilling
"Hosanna" ... Granier
"Come See the Place Where Jesus Lay" ...
Contralto solo, Matthew xxviii:1-7 ... Parker
W. K. Steiner
Organist and director, W. K. Steiner; quartet, Misses Allison and Petty and Messrs. Nelly and Owen.

**South Avenue—Wilkinsburg.**

EVENING.

Organ prelude.
Chorus, "Christ Rose Died and Rose" ... Naylor
Soprano solo, "I Know That My Redeemer Lives" ... Mandel
Easter anthem ... Schnecker
Organ offertory.
Quartet, "Christ Our Passover" ... Schilling
Cantata, "The Risen King" ... Schnecker
Organ postlude.
The quartet—Miss Cora M. White, Miss Julia N. Bowerson, R. Robert Wright and Edward N. Craig—will be assisted by Miss Edith Phipps, Miss Minnie Flint, R. H. Blackall and J. Paul Moore. Organist—Miss Edith Jamison. Director—Edward A. Craig.

**Oakland.**

MORNING.

"Hosanna" ... Mrs. W. J. Crawford
Anthem, "He Is Risen" ... Choir
EVENING.
Te Deum ... Kretzmar
"Why Seek Ye the Living?" ... Choir

**Mt. Washington.**

"I Am the Resurrection" ... McGranahan
"The True Easter" ... Excell
"Christ Our Passover" ... McPhail
"Lead, Kindly Light" ... McPhail
"Christ, the Lord, Is Risen Today" ... Lewis
"Alas! and Did My Saviour Bleed" ... McPhail
"His Yoke Is Easy; His Burden Is Light" ... Hodson
"The Wonderful Saviour" ... Hoffman
Edward C. Jennings, musical director; choir of 22 voices and a children's chorus.

**West End.**

MORNING.

Anthem, "Children of God Rejoice" ... Cramer
Anthem, "Christ Triumphant" ... Danks
EVENING.
Easter anthem No. ... Cramer
Solo, "The Resurrection" ... Shelley
A. H. Busby, musical director.
Anthem, "Christ Victorious" ...

**Pleasant Valley.**

Opening anthem, "Easter Lilies" ...
Hymn, "He Is Risen" ...
J. S. Baker, director, and choir of 12 voices.

**North Avenue—Allegheny.**

MORNING.

Organ, "Passacaglia" ... John E. West
Choir, "Christ, the Lord, Is Risen Today" ... J. L. Roeckel
Organ, "Cantabile" ... F. Capocci
Soprano solo ... Mrs. Carrie Angell Baker
Choir, "He Is Risen" ... Max Vogrich
Organ, "Processional March" ... Chauvet
EVENING.
Organ, "Adante Seraphique" ... Desbats-Jonson
Choir, Easter anthem ... Whitney Coombs
Organ, "Pagues Fleuries" ... A. Stadtfeld
Soprano solo ... Miss Marion Gaston
Choir, "Christ Our Passover" ... F. Schilling
Organ, "Festival March" ... H. W. Parker
Choir ... Marion F. Gaston, Nellie E. Jeffries, Mary L. Sharpe, M. Jean Summers, Marguerite Burtt, Bessie Johnston, Irene Kern, Eleanor Weitzel, Mabel Jack. Altos—Misses Ella Graham, Delia Young, Mary V. Heller, Pearl Olle. Tenors—Messrs. Joseph J. Baker, U. Sherman Foster, A. Monteith Williams, A. B. Tudor. Basses—Messrs. Walter Morrison, Frank Young, Albert Monroe, Will S. Miller, J. M. Mays, George Knox, E. E. Boulton. Mrs. Carrie Angell Baker, soprano, and Mr. Harry B. Brockett, jr., tenor, will assist the choir on this occasion. Director—J. P. McCollum. Organist—Charles N. Boyd.
(Special orchestral afternoon service.)
"Unfold, Ye Portals Everlasting" ... Gounod
"Idylle" ... Kuesmer
"Romance," for violin ... Sivori
Mr. W. B. Morris and orchestra.
"He Is Risen" ... Gadsby
March ... Verdi
Flutes, J. L. McCounell, George Schaffnit; Alois Hrabak; oboes, W. E. Adams, Jr. B. Norris; clarinets, Adam Provan, A. B. Davis; saxaphone, M. Bert Howard; bassoon, Ross Barr; horn, George Horner; cornets, Henry Benecker, F. J. Steward; trombone, A. E. Johnson; tuba, Thomas Howe; violins, Miss Lida Schotte, Mrs. Katherine Ball Dungan, Wyn B. Morris, Harvey Sutton, Andrew Lacock W. Gillespie, Will Martin, W. H. Norris, Carl Lotis, H. Yost, Charles Beck, Viola, E. L. Geyer; 'cello, C. F. Hald, Marius Sullot; base viol, Will McKinney; plano, Miss Frances Leech. Director—Charles N. Boyd.

**Arch Street—Allegheny.**

Organ Prelude in G ... Archer
Easter Collect, Singing—
"Come, thou almighty King.
Help us Thy name to sing.
Help us to praise:
Father all glorious,
O'er all victorious
Come and reign over us,
Ancient of days.
Choir, an Easter hymn ... Thomas
Choir, "Christ Is Risen From the Dead" ... Wagner-Neidlinger
Responsive Lesson, John Wesley's Sunday Service.
Gloria Patri, chanted.
Solo, "King of Glory" ... Coombs
Miss Sawyer.
Choir, Te Deum in G ... Millard
Trio, "Holy Father, Thou Hast Taught Me" ... Belchei
Organ Postlude ... Clarke
Organ, Processional ... Mozart
Invocation.
Gloria Universus—
"To God the Father, God the Son,
And God the Spirit, Three in One,
Be honor, praise and glory given
By all on earth and all in heaven."
Choir, "Christ the Lord Is Risen" ... Goat
Choir, "Christ Is Risen From the Dead" ... Wagner-Neidlinger
Gloria Patri, chanted.
Solo and chorus, "O Lord, Thy Will Be Done" ... Newell
Choir, "Where Thy Victory, O Grave?" ... Lorman
Choir, "O Taste and See" ... Goss
Choir, "Now Is the Accepted Time" ... Young
Organ, "Hallelujah" ... Handel

**LUTHERAN.**

**Trinity—Allegheny.**

Prelude ... Cregan
"He Is Risen," quartet ... P. Schilling
"Christ Our Passover," quartet F. M. Shadley
The Angels' Easter Song, solo, Hyatt Brewer
Triumphal March, organ ... Hyatt Brewer
Angelic Chorus, organ ... Lang
"Christ the Lord Is Risen," quartet ... Dudley Buck
"Christ Our Passover," quartet, Dudley Buck
"My Redeemer and My Lord," solo ... Dudley Buck
Hallelujah Chorus, organ ... Handel
Soprano, Ethel Hawthorne and Alice Merriman; altos, Lenaetta Heilman and Elsie Kister; tenor and director, Thomas J. Smith; bass, Robert L. James; organist, Albert J. Grimebaw.

**Calvary—Wilkinsburg.**

"This Is the Day" ... Brackett
"He Is Risen" ... Schilling
"Calvary" ... Rodney
"I Give Thanks Unto the Lord" ... Watson
"The Happy Morn Is Come" ... Rossetter
"How Calm and Beautiful the Morn" ... Hastings
Choir—Miss Charlotte Heller, Carl Carra, Choir—Soprano, Miss Charlotte Helmer; contralto, Miss Bertha Baker; tenor, Robert Davies; bass, John Nowell; organist, Miss Ruth Bowman.

**Grace.**

Processional, "Hail to Thee, Hall" ... Special Choir
Versicle: O Lord, open Thou my lips and my mouth shall show forth Thy praise.
Make haste, O God, to deliver me. Make haste to help me, O God.

**St. Paul's—South Side.**

"O, Know That My Redeemer Liveth" ... Orchestra
"Easter Hallelujah," Male Chorus of Voices
"The Heavens Are Telling" ... Gounod
"Christ Has Risen" ... Mixed Voices
March Pontifical ... Orchestra

**Grace—Sharpsburg.**

MORNING.

Organ prelude ... Salve Regina
Miss Kate Bird, Organist.
Introit Sanctus ...
Anthem ... Easter Dawn
Anthem ... The Lord Is Risen Indeed
Offertory ... The King of Glory
Miss Mary Robinson, Soloist.
EVENING.
Anthem ... Holy City
Anthem ... Palm Branches
Anthem ... Christ Our Passover
Solo ... The Holy City
Oscar Lesper
N. G. Ayres, musical director.

**German—Etna.**

MORNING.

Overture, "Lohengrin" ... Wagner
Choir, "The Lord Is Risen" ... C. A. Weiss
Duet, "God Is Love" ... C. A. Weiss
Solo, A. Nicklaus and Mrs. G. M. Pfaff
Choir, "O Day of Joy" ... Mendelssohn
Offertory, Elias ... Mendelssohn
H. G. Noelling, Organist.

**CHRISTIAN.**

**East End.**

MORNING.

Organ prelude, "Spring Song" ... Mendelssohn
Anthem, "They Have Taken Away My Lord" ... Stainer
Quartet, "The Lord Is Risen" ... Gounod
Postlude, "Processional to Calvary" ... Stainer
From the "Crucifixion."
EVENING.
Organ Prelude, "Largo" ... Handel
Anthem, "Come, See the Place Where Jesus Lay" ... J. A. West
Tenor Solo, "Rejoice, Ye Heavens" ... Bartlett
Anthem, "Awake, Thou That Sleepest" ... Schneeker
Postlude, "Finals in G" ... Trotta
Soloists—Elizabeth Stephens, soprano; Richard Knott, baritone; C. Stanley Ecker, tenor; Earle B. Byers, organist and musical director.


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# Business Was Brisk This Week

## EASTER TRADE FACILITATED BY GOOD WEATHER

## Volume of Transactions in Wearing Apparel Exceptionally Large.

## PIG IRON PRODUCTION

## Is Now Beyond All Previous Records and Coke Movement Is Ample—Reaction in Cotton Due to Excessive Speculation.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 28.—R. G. Dun's weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

Favorable weather greatly facilitated Easter retail trade, the volume of transactions in all lines of wearing apparel being of exceptional magnitude. Activity was by no means restricted to the specialties, however, the general distribution of merchandise exceeding that of previous seasons, with prices well maintained. A distinct evidence of the vigor of legitimate trade is found in the decline of only 3.4 per cent in bank exchanges at New York, notwithstanding the fact that transactions at the actor exchange were not more than a third of those in the corresponding week last year, while at other leading cities clearings exhibited a gain of 6.8 per cent over last year and 4 per cent over 1899.

### Pig Iron Production.

Demand for an eight-hour day after May 1 by the blast furnace men was the most disturbing feature of the iron and steel industry and this is not causing much alarm as an agreement will probably be reached during the intervening month. Production is now beyond all previous records and the movement of coke is ample, although the early opening of lake navigation may withdraw some of the transporting facilities which cannot well be spared. Buying has been notably active in bars for implement makers, and producers have sold their entire output so far ahead that new business is not sought. Many plans for immediate structural work have been abandoned, owing to the insufficient supply of available material.

On the other hand there are reports of reselling contracts for rails and other supplies by consumers who have secured larger deliveries than will be needed. The appearance of this speculative element would be ominous if quotations were more excessively inflated. Aside from a reduction in bar iron at Pittsburgh to $1 80 and foundry iron at Chicago to $18 50, there are no important price changes, southern furnaces having decided to postpone the contemplated advance.

### Movements in Cotton and Coffee.

A severe reaction occurred in cotton, due entirely to the excessive speculative purchases which made the market top heavy. A slight recovery in coffee from the bottom price is attributed to aggressive option buying, as the statistical position is not improved. Brazil receipts exceeding last year's high record to date by over a third. A temporary reduction in refined sugar was quickly restored, as the market for raw grades became strong. Meats again advanced in the face of easier grain, a helpful influence being the largest single order ever placed for the British army.

### Situation in Cereals.

Weakness appeared in the cereals early in the week when there was a certain unanimity about encouraging weather reports and increased acreage. Subsequently there was partial recovery, owing to less cheerful news from Kansas and Oklahoma, but the net result for the week was a decidedly lower range of prices. Wheat exports materially declined from the satisfactory record of 4,057,025 bushels last week, to only 3,088,642 bushels this week which compared with 3,938,832 bushels in the same week last year. There was a decrease in western receipts to 2,747,004 bushels, against 4,052,508 bushels a year ago, but the difference in arrivals of corn was less striking, 1,976,064 bushels, against 2,682,918 bushels a year ago.

### Shipments of Corn.

Atlantic shipments of the minor cereal were only 138,344 bushels, compared with 2,946,461 in 1901. According to an analysis of the official returns by a Liverpool authority there will be only 13,000,000 bushels of wheat in this country at the close of the crop year, but the statement is based on exports for the last four months of half as much as the record-breaking shipments of the preceding eight months, which is extremely improbable. A further alteration in the figures should be made to allow for the underestimate of the total crop.

Failures for the week numbered 205 in the United States, against 206 last year, and 22 in Canada, against 29 last year.

## BANK CLEARINGS.

NEW YORK, March 28.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended March 20, and the percentage of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year:

| CITY. | Amount. | Per Ct. Inc. | Per Ct. Dec. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | $1,293,423,459 | ... | 29.1 |
| Chicago | 141,105,512 | 20.0 | ... |
| Boston | 124,277,273 | ... | 10.6 |
| Philadelphia | 111,387,168 | 13.7 | ... |
| St. Louis | 62,222,262 | 28.9 | ... |
| Pittsburg | 41,415,246 | 4.2 | ... |
| Baltimore | 21,254,554 | ... | 14.2 |
| San Francisco | 33,594,870 | 68.1 | ... |
| Cincinnati | 19,567,650 | 6.0 | ... |
| Kansas City | 17,105,852 | 20.0 | ... |
| Cleveland | 11,532,129 | ... | 0.8 |
| Minneapolis | 10,810,062 | 33.7 | ... |
| New Orleans | 11,390,512 | ... | 5.6 |
| Detroit | 8,456,246 | 4.0 | ... |
| Louisville | 9,955,253 | 18.8 | ... |
| Indianapolis | 9,415,623 | 51.6 | ... |
| Providence | 7,621,000 | 22.1 | ... |
| Omaha | 7,037,168 | 10.5 | ... |
| Milwaukee | 6,404,376 | 30.8 | ... |
| Buffalo | 4,883,553 | 1.7 | ... |
| St. Paul | 5,414,980 | 94.1 | ... |
| Los Angeles | 4,187,208 | 26.0 | ... |
| Denver | 4,586,301 | ... | 0.6 |
| Richmond | 5,974,660 | ... | 8.3 |
| Savannah | 2,815,086 | ... | 7.6 |
| Memphis | 3,521,084 | 72.8 | ... |
| Albany | 2,824,824 | 7.4 | ... |
| Salt Lake | 2,971,267 | 76.6 | ... |
| Memphis | 3,134,057 | 23.6 | ... |
| Fort Worth | 2,613,177 | ... | 5.7 |
| Seattle | 2,811,144 | 24.5 | ... |
| Washington | 2,387,824 | 24.2 | ... |
| Hartford | 2,400,296 | ... | 1.4 |
| Peoria | 2,601,855 | 51.5 | ... |
| Toledo | 2,227,552 | 0.6 | ... |
| Portland, Ore. | 2,298,936 | 58.5 | ... |
| Rochester | 2,430,128 | 32.4 | ... |
| Atlanta | 2,097,583 | 30.8 | ... |
| Des Moines | 1,928,400 | 20.5 | ... |
| New Haven | 1,856,976 | 31.5 | ... |
| Worcester | 1,574,731 | 9.7 | ... |
| Nashville | 1,582,073 | 38.9 | ... |
| Springfield, Mass. | 1,255,302 | 7.2 | ... |
| Norfolk | 1,351,039 | 19.2 | ... |
| Grand Rapids | 1,402,381 | 26.6 | ... |
| Scranton | 1,355,306 | 11.3 | ... |
| Portland, Me. | 1,065,000 | ... | 12.1 |
| Sioux City | 1,572,756 | 32.4 | ... |
| Augusta | 1,481,146 | ... | 42.9 |
| Syracuse | 950,341 | 11.2 | ... |
| Dayton, O. | 1,102,744 | 12.7 | ... |
| Tacoma | 1,138,812 | 7.8 | ... |
| Spokane | 1,498,720 | 75.4 | ... |
| Topeka | 1,457,685 | 17.0 | ... |
| Davenport | 884,557 | ... | ... |
| Wilmington, Del. | 973,680 | 10.5 | ... |
| Evansville | 898,302 | 3.4 | ... |
| Birmingham | 930,358 | 7.6 | ... |
| Fall River | 891,784 | 45.5 | ... |
| Macon | 908,000 | 28.8 | ... |
| Little Rock | 803,449 | 53.6 | ... |
| Helena | 450,693 | ... | 30.4 |
| Knoxville | 701,366 | 17.5 | ... |
| Lowell | 405,812 | ... | ... |

| CITY. | Amount. | Per Ct. Inc. | Per Ct. Dec. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Akron | 546,000 | 28.7 | ... |
| Wichita | 501,564 | 8.1 | ... |
| Springfield, Ill. | 520,000 | 2.7 | ... |
| Lexington | 360,168 | 39.1 | ... |
| New Bedford | 408,902 | 16.3 | ... |
| Chattanooga | 462,033 | 24.2 | ... |
| Youngstown | 520,311 | 26.2 | ... |
| Kalamazoo | 491,696 | 54.8 | ... |
| Fargo | 252,381 | 11.6 | ... |
| Binghamton | 344,100 | 9.9 | ... |
| Rockford | 439,240 | 14.7 | ... |
| Canton | 428,000 | 51.0 | ... |
| Jacksonville, Fla. | 368,893 | 33.5 | ... |
| Springfield, O. | 308,947 | 14.9 | ... |
| Chester | 332,518 | 6.6 | ... |
| Houston | 12,086,084 | 63.2 | ... |
| Galveston | 6,019,000 | ... | 8.1 |
| Columbus, O. | 6,289,500 | 24.8 | ... |
| Wheeling | 698,104 | 3.0 | ... |
| Wilkesbarre | 862,598 | ... | ... |
| Decatur, Ill. | 214,341 | ... | ... |
| Totals, U. S. | $2,063,748,166 | ... | 10.5 |
| Outside N. Y. | 770,324,707 | 12.1 | ... |

| CANADA | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Montreal | $ 18,925,227 | 10.2 | .... |
| Toronto | 15,361,507 | 39.8 | .... |
| Winnipeg | 2,609,902 | 56.2 | .... |
| Halifax | 1,562,117 | 19.7 | .... |
| Vancouver, B. C. | 760,789 | 4.8 | .... |
| Hamilton | 866,266 | 30.8 | .... |
| St. John, N. B. | 841,470 | .... | 13.4 |
| Victoria, B. C. | 1,101,788 | 27.0 | .... |
| Quebec | 1,101,788 | .... | .... |
| Ottawa | 1,703,022 | .... | .... |
| Totals, Canada | $ 41,137,965 | 22.5 | .... |

†Not included in totals because containing other items than clearings. Also included in totals because of no comparison for last year.

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CENTRAL STOCK YARDS,
Friday, March 28, 1902.

Cattle—Supply light; market steady; choice, 1,400 to 1,700 lbs, $6 00@6 75; prime, 1,200 to 1,400 lbs, $6 20@6 40; good, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs, $5 50@5 90; tidy butchers, $5 00@5 50; fair, $4 25@5 00; heifers, $3 75@5 25; good fresh cows and springers, $48@60; common to fair fresh cows, $25@40.

Hogs—Receipts light, 6 double decks on sale; demand good and market shade higher; prime heavy, $6 50@6 60; medium, $6 50@6 60; heavy yorkers, $6 05@6 15; light Yorkers, $6 45@6 00; pigs, $6 20@6 35; roughs, $5 00@6 25.

Sheep—Supply light; market slow; prices 5@10c lower; best wethers, 95 to 100 lbs, $5 25@5 80; good, 85 to 90 lbs, $5 30@5 60; mixed, 75 to 80 lbs, $4 75@5 20; culls and common, $2 50@4 00; veal calves, $2 50@6 00; good to choice, $4 50@6 00; heavy and thin, $4 50@5 50.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 28.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,421 head. Steers 10c higher; culls and fat cows steady; bulls and oxen unchanged. Sales about all sold. Steers, $5 75@6 75; bulls, $3 05@5 85; cows, $2 15@4 65. Cables firm; late cattle, 12½@13½c, live weight; sheep, 13½@14c, live weight; refrigerator beef, 9@11¾c per pound. Exports none. Tomorrow, 140 cattle, 80 sheep and 2,450 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 678 head. Market easier; veals, $5 00@6 25; tops, $6 50; buttermilks, $4 00@4 50; city dressed veals, 9@12¼c per pound. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 4,073 head. Slow for all sorts. Sheep about steady; lambs 10@15c lower. Sales: Seventy cars sheep, $4 00@5 50; lambs, $5 50@6 85; culls, $4 00@5 00. Hogs—Receipts, 2,263 head. Feeling firm. No sales reported.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Receipts — Cattle, 2,800 head. Steady to strong. Good to prime steers, nominal at $5 50@7 00; poor to medium, $4 25@6 40; stockers and feeders, $2 50@5 25; cows, $1 25@5 50; heifers, $2 50@5 75; canners, $1 25@2 40; bulls, $2 50@5 10; calves, $2 50@6 00; Texas fed steers, $5 00@6 00. Hogs—Receipts today, 21,000 head; tomorrow, 23,000 head; left over, 4,000 head; 5@10c higher; closing easy; mixed and butchers, $6 40@6 60; good to choice, heavy, $6 50@6 62½; rough heavy, $6 35@6 45; light, $6 25@6 65; bulk of sales, $6 45@6 75. Sheep—Receipts, 4,000 head. Sheep steady; lambs, steady; good to choice wethers, $5 00@5 40; western sheep and yearlings, $5 25@5 75; native lambs, $4 60@6 60; western lambs, $5 25@6 65.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y. March 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; market dull. Veals, steady, $7 50@7 75. Hogs—Receipts, 10,500 head; market opened active and 5@10c higher, closing easier; heavy, $6 70@7 00; mixed, $6 80@6 90; Yorkers, $6 85@6 90; light do, $6 50@6 60; pigs, $6 25@6 35; roughs, $6 10@6 35; stags, $4 25@4 75. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 15,400 head; market slow for lambs, firm for sheep; tops, mixed, $6 20@6 35; culls and bucks, $3 50@4 85; wethers, $5 70@6 00; closing dull and lower; top native lambs, $6 65@6 75; top western lambs, $6 50@6 60; fair to good, $6 25@6 40; culls and common, $4 50@5 75.

### Bank Clearings.

BOSTON, March 28.—Exchanges, $18,744,636; balances, $1,232,913.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Clearings, $7,678,819; balances, $1,441,967. Money, 4½@6 per cent. New York exchange, 30c premium.

CINCINNATI, O., March 28.—Money, 4@6 p.c. cent. New York exchange, 20c discount. Clearings, $2,631,200.

# A Dull Day in Real Estate Market

## A $50,000 HOUSE IS PLANNED FOR SQUIRREL HILL

### A. A. Frauenheim Buys Fine Building Site in Beacon Street for $35,000.

### ALLEGHENY HOUSE SOLD

**Another Sale in Ft. Wayne Territory—Farm Properties Change Owners—Six-Story Building for Fifth Avenue—Few Realty Deals.**

Yesterday, being Good Friday, was a legal holiday. The banks and exchanges were all closed. The exchanges will be closed today, also, but the banks will be open for business until noon, and safe depositaries until 1 o'clock.

The Squirrel Hill district is to have another $50,000 residence. The site for the new mansion is a plot facing 318 feet in Beacon street and 240 feet in Murdoch street. It was purchased yesterday by A. A. Frauenheim, president of the Epping-Carpenter Company, from E. H. Jennings for $35,000. The deal was negotiated by the Real Estate Trust Company, which has made a number of large sales in the Schenley park district during the last year. The price paid for the property, about $119 a foot for the Beacon street frontage, is considered very reasonable, as nearby frontage is valued at from $150 to $200 a foot. The property adjoins the holdings of John P. Ober and W. C. Stewart, and is one of the most beautiful sites in the entire Squirrel Hill district, commanding a fine view of the park. Beacon street is 100 feet wide and will be the main entrance to Schenley park for residents in that locality.

### Second Purchase in Fayette Street.

John M. Montgomery, president of the Consolidated stock exchange, has purchased from M. W. Miller the property at No. 1205 Fayette street, Allegheny, for $15,000. The lot measures 36 feet in the north side of the street near Fulton street and has a depth of 140 feet. The residence is a 12-room brick house and has among the other modern conveniences a $2,000 water heater. This house is near the Harry W. McDonald residence, purchased by Mr. Montgomery a few weeks ago for $25,000. In part payment for the Miller house two six-room frame houses in Second street, Neville Island City, were given. The lots are 25x100 feet each and the properties were put into the deal at $5,000, the balance being paid in cash. The sale was made by Joseph P. Larkin & Co. through W. L. Scott & Co. of Allegheny.

### Marion Avenue Property Sold.

Through Barr Bros. & Co., L. L. Gilbert has bought from Mrs. Mary McGillespie the property at No. 8 Marion avenue, First ward, Allegheny, for $8,200 cash. The lot is 22x79 feet and is improved with a 10-room brick house. This property is only a few feet from the Holdship property, which passed into the hands of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago railroad a few days ago.

A six-story brick store and office building is to be erected at the corner of Fifth avenue and State alley, from plans now in the hands of Architect S. Avery Barr, of the East End. The building will measure 21x115 feet and will have a stone front with the other walls of red brick. The first floor will be used for store rooms and the upper floors will be fitted up for offices. The estimated cost is $35,000. Bids will be taken Monday and the work of building is to be begun at once.

### A Big Livery Stable.

Architect T. C. McKee has awarded the contract to G. G. Frazier for the erection of a boarding stable in Broad street for A. J. Coleman. The building will cost $18,000, and will be three stories high, with accommodations for 100 horses.

Architect J. E. Obitz is preparing plans for a $6,000 brick house to be built for Mrs. A. Schaub at the corner of Larimer and Shetland avenues. Bids will be taken April 4.

Good Friday had a decidedly bad effect on dealings in real estate and with the drizzling rain was responsible for one of the poorest days of the month. A large number of brokers, too, are occupied with moving and will pay little attention to outside work for several days. The rush of business attendant upon moving and closing up leases with tenants, many of whom are as usual behind with their rents, is given as a cause for the continued lack of activity in the realty market, which is a surprise to many brokers, who looked for a brisk trade as soon as warm weather came.

### Big Sales Pending.

Rumors of big deals down town are of daily occurrence, but little definite can be learned, and it is the commonly expressed opinion on the street that there is "very little doing." Brokers claim that there is no underlying cause for this dullness that need cause alarm, but that with the passing of purely local conditions, which now hinder the closing of many deals, there will be a rapidly increasing list of sales.

A. A. Young & Co. sold for E. B. McAbee, the builder, to Thomas Peterson, an improved lot 30x104 feet in the north side of Station street, near Princeton place, for $5,000. Also for Frank Hague to Peter Cowieson a five-room frame house, lot 20x150 feet, in the west side of Beecher street, near Monticello street. Twenty-first ward, for $2,000.

### A Good Demand for Farms.

Three more small farm sales were reported yesterday, showing that the inquiry for farm property continues brisk in spite of the apparent lull in city property. Through the agency of S. A. Fox, Oak Grove, Follansbee, Jefferson, Ohio, bought 23 acres situated one mile northeast of the Bethel church, in the Mt. Lebanon district, for $7,000, in addition to having good farm buildings the farm has three acres of fruit in full bearing. It is near the line of the proposed street railway from Pittsburgh to Washington, Pa., which is already graded a part of the way. Another farm sale of $4,800 was made by R. H. Neil of Oakmont, who sold to R. C. Early of Fairmount, W. Va., 140 acres in Ashtabula county, Ohio. The same broker sold for Perry Whalen of the same county 19 acres to J. J. Kemb for $900.

S. M. Kennedy & Co. sold for Mary J. Patton to T. M. Williams the property at No. 1218 Pido Alto street, Second ward, Allegheny, for $1,000.

R. J. Ehrenfeld sold for Miss Lizzie Kelly to Annie K. Schroader a frame house of seven rooms, lot 20x60 feet, in the south side of Ann street, near Gist street, Fourteenth ward, for $2,200.

R. S. Brown sold for Thomas Harbell to T. C. Shaner two and one-half acres of land, improved, in Ashtabula county, Ohio, for $850.

### Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Butter steady; creameries, 20@27c; dairies, 19½@25c. Cheese firm; twins, 14@15c; Young Americas, 12½c. Eggs steady at 13½@14c.

PHILADELPHIA, March 28.—Butter firm; prints 1c higher; extra western creamery, 26c; do nearby, prints, 25c. Eggs firmer; fresh nearby, 15½@16c; do western, 15½@16c; do southwestern, 15½@16c; do southern, 15c. Cheese firm but quiet. New York full creams, fancy small, 12c; do fair to choice, 11@12½c.

# Rumor of Coming Advance in Sugar

## PITTSBURGH PRICES FOR FARM PRODUCTS

### Grain Markets Slightly Firmer. Eggs Sell at Reduced Prices.

### Hay, Grain and Feed.

Yesterday was observed as a holiday in Chicago, no session of the board of trade being held, and virtually there was no market here, transactions on the grain exchange being few, establishing no values. Consequently the last quotations remains unchanged. Brokers report a slightly better feeling in trade.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 22 cars hay, 8 cars oats, 6 cars corn, 2 cars rye, 2 cars straw, 1 car hay and straw; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 9 cars hay, 2 cars corn. Total receipts, 38 cars.

Following are the official quotations for hay, millfeed, corn, oats and straw, corrected by the superintendent of the Pittsburgh grain exchange:

Straw—Oat, $7 00@7 50; wheat, $7 00@7 50; rye, $8 00@8 25.

Hay—Choice timothy, $14 50@15 00; No. 1 do, $14 00@14 50; No. 2 do, $12 00@13 00; No. 1 mixed, $10 50@11 00; No. 1 clover, $10 00@10 50; prairie, $10 50@11 00; packing, $8 00@10 00; loose from wagons, $16 00@17 00.

Rye—Milling price, delivered, No. 1, Michigan, 66@66½c.

Wheat—No. 2 red, winter, 75@76c f. o. b. cars within radius of 50 miles of Pittsburgh.

Corn—No. 2 yellow shelled, 65½@66c; high mixed, 64@65c; No. 2 mixed, 65@65½c. No. 3 yellow ear, 67@68c; high mixed, 66@67c; No. 2 mixed, 65@66c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 48½@49c; extra No. 3, 47¼@48c; regular, 46@46½c.

Mixed feed, middlings, per ton, No. 2, $21 00@21 50; brown, $20 50@21 00; bran, $20 00@20 50.

### Groceries.

Holiday quiet prevailed throughout the eastern markets, and none of the important staples were changed in price yesterday. Rumor has it that there will be another advance in refined sugar next month, which if it comes, will be purely arbitrary, as conditions of demand and the raw sugar situation do not justify such action.

Flour—Jobbers' prices: Fancy spring patents, $3 95@4 00; fancy winter patents, $3 90@3 95; straight winter, $3 80@3 75; bakers' spring, $3 60@3 60; rye, $3 45@3 60; graham, $4 25@4 35; buckwheat flour, $3 50@3 75; 10-lb cotton bags, 18@19c.

Sugar—Standard granulated, 4.80c; fine granulated, bbl, 100-lb and 20-lb juts bags, 4.80c; 60 10-lb cartons and 20 5-lb juts bags, 4.80c; powdered, 4.80c; powdered xxxx, 4.95c; cubes, 5.05c; cutloaf, 5.40c; confectioners' A, 4.60c; No. 2 white, 4.15c; No. 3 do, 4.30c; No. 1 yellow, 4.25c; No. 2 do, 4.15c; No. 3 do, 4.10c. (Quotations are f. o. b. cars New York, which gives cost at your nearest railroad station. The price for Pittsburgh is 15c per 100 lbs above these quotations.)

Cereals—Rolled oats, bbl, $5 10; kegs, $2 75; packages, $2 80@3 25; oatmeal, bbls, $5 50; kegs, $2 90.

Spices—Fancy refined, 30@32c; choice do, 26@29c; prime do, 22@25c; new open kettle, 37@40c; fancy sugar syrup, 30@32c; sugar and cane, 27@30c; syrup, 24@27c; cans, $1 05; 3-lb, $1 75; 5-lb, $2 20; 10-lb, $4 00; per dozen.

Coffee—Roasted, bulk, Rio, 10½@12c; Santos, 23½@23½c; Maracaibo, 17@17½c; Peaberry, 17½@17½c; Mexican, Guatemala or Golden Rio, 14½@15c; Java, 26@29c; Mocha, 25½@c; standard brands, 1-lb pkgs, 10.80c (with rebate of ¾c allowed to retailers); high grades, 1-lb pkgs, 14.30@16.30c.

Beans—Prime marrowfat, bu, $2 35@2 40; H. P. navy, $1 70@1 80; red kidney, $2 35@2 40; California Limas, 8½@9¼c.

Peas—Dried peas, $1 50@1 60; scotch, per bu, $1 70@1 75; split peas, bbl, $6 75; less, 3½c per 100 lbs.

Oil—Carbon, 110 degs., 9¼c; headlight, 10¼c; water white, 10½c; Elaine, 14½c; Ohio W. W., test, 10½c; mineer's best, 21@22c; special brands, 20@23c; prime refined, 26c.

Rice—Extra fancy head, 7¼@7½c; fancy Japan, 5¼c; choice Carolina, 6@6½c; prime Carolina, 4¼@5¼c.

Salt—No. 1, $1 00 bbl; No. 1 extra, $1 10; dairy, $1 30; granulated rock, 95c sack; pocket salt, $1 70@2 00.

Fish—No. 1 mess mackerel, bbls, $23 00; half bbls, $12 00; quarter bbls, $6 12; 20-lb pails, $2 75; 10-lb pails, $1 50; No. 2 mackerel, new, bbls, $15 50; half bbls, $8 50; quarter bbls, $4 25; 20-lb pails, $2 80; 10-lb pails, $1 65; lake herring, 100 lbs, $3 80; 30-lb quarters, $1 40; 10-lbs., 55c.

### Canned Goods.

Standard pie peaches, 80@85c; gallon pie peaches, $2 50@3 00; California L. C. peaches, $1 90@2 35; Maryland peaches, $1 25@1 75; California Y. P., $1 80@2 00; corn, fancy brands, 90c@$1 00; 60@65c; California cherries, white, $2 00@2 25; lima beans, $1 20@1 40; soaked lima beans, 75@80c; string do, 65c@$1 25; marrowfat peas, 95c@$1 10; early June peas, $1 00@1 30; soaked peas, 55@65c; New York apples, gal cans, $3 50@3 60; pineapples, $1 20@2 20; damson plums, $1 00; California egg plums, $1 60; raspberries, 85@90c; gooseberries, 85c@$1 00; standard tomatoes, $1 35@1 40; fancy do, $1 45@1 55; salmon, doz 1-lb cans, $1 60@2 20; succotash, 1-lb cans, 65@90c; chipped beef, 1½-lb cans, $2 40@2 75; 2-lb corned beef, $2 25@2 40; roast beef, $2 25@2 40; cove oysters, 1-lb full weight, 80@$1 25; 2-lb full weight, $1 80; 1-lb lunch, flat cans, $1 10.

### Dried Fruits.

Evaporated apricots, in bags, 13@13½c; 25-lb boxes, 22@24c; apples, in bulk, 10c; 1-lb cartons, 10@11c; peaches, 8@12c; raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkgs, 09@9½c; raisins, Muscatels, 2 and 4-crown, 50-lb boxes, 6¾@7½c per lb; Ondoria Valencia, 8@8½c; California Valencia, 7c; raspberries, 25½@27½c; currants, cleaned, 35 and 30-lb pkgs, 8@8½c; California prunes, 3¾@7½c.

### Fruits and Produce.

Trade in produce lines was very active yesterday, the markets being full of buyers, and prices were well sustained. Florida peas were new arrivals, selling at $2 50@3 00 per crate. Strawberries were in better demand, going at a range of 30@35c, although some inferior stock, which was poorly packed, sold as low as 25c. Lettuce, rhubarb, tomatoes, radishes and green onions were in lively request with prices very strong.

Apples—Choice and fancy, $3 00@3 00; California, per box, $1 50@1 75.

Carrots—Per bbl, $1 25@1 50; per doz. bunches, 35@40c.

Cucumbers—Hothouse, $1 75@2 00.

Potatoes—On track, per bu, 80@85c; carloads, fancy, 75@80c; fancy, from store, 90@ 95c; foreign, per bag, $1 75@2 25; Bermuda, per bbl, $7 00@8 00; Jersey sweets, fancy, $4 00@5 00; do, medium, $3 00@3 75; Jersey sweets, medium, $3 50@4 00.

Brussels sprouts—Per qt, 15@18c.

Onions—Per bbl, $2 00@2 75; per bu, 75@$1 00; Spanish, crate, $1 00@1 75; silver skins, $2 50@4 00; Valencia, per crate, $4 00@4 25; Havanas, per box, $2 75@3 00.

Horseradish—Per bbl, $5 00@5 50.

Watercress—Per doz bunches, 20@25c.

Oyster plant—Per doz, 30@40c.

Celery—Medium, 25@40c; large, 50@90c; California, per case, $3 00@3 50; White Plume, per crate, $2 00@2 50; Florida, per crate, $2 25@2 50.

Rutabagas—Per bbl, $1 00@1 25.

Cabbage—German, per ton, $12 00@ 16 00; per bbl, $1 00@1 25; red, per bbl, $2 25@2 50.

Cauliflower—California, $2 75@3 25 per crate.

Leeks—Per doz, 20@40c.

Parsnips—Per bbl, $1 50@1 75.

Cider—New sweet apple juice, bbls, $4 50@5 00; 5-gal cherry kegs, $2 00@2 50; choice crabapple, bbl, $5 00@6 00; refined apple juice, gal, 12@15c; Duffy's 15-gal kegs, $3 00; 30-gal kegs, $5 00@5 25; pure grape juice, 25@30c per gal; per bbl, $5 75@6 00; kegs, $3 50; per gal, 18@20c.

Lettuce—Home grown, per doz, 75c@$1 00; hothouse, 50@60c per basket; head lettuce, bbl, $3 00@7 00.

Endive, per doz, 90@$1 00; Florida, per basket, $2 50@3 00; poor to common, $1 00@2 00.

Beets—Per bbl, $2 50@2 75; bunch, 05@75c.

Peanuts—Fancy hand-picked, per lb, 7½c; Mushrooms—Per lb, 40@50c.

Radishes—Per doz, 20@35c.

Tomatoes—Florida, 6 basket carriers, $3 00@3 50.

Turnips—Washed, $1 00@1 25; unwashed, 75c@$1 00.

Florida Egg Plant—Per box, $5 00@6 00.

Peppers—Per box, 40@90c.

Green Onions—Per doz, 12@15c; New Orleans Charlottes, 50@90c doz.

Garlic—Per lb, 10@8c.

Shelling beans—Green, $2 50@4 00; wax, $5 00@6 00.

Strawberries—Florida, per qt, 20@35c.

Kohlrabi—Per doz bunches, 15@20c.

Mustard—White comb, 15@17c; New York white clover, 17@18c; buckwheat, 11@12c.

Maple Syrup—75c@$1 00 per gal.

Mango Peppers—Per crate, $1 50@2 00.

Cranberries—Per crate, $1 50@2 50; per bbl, $7 00@8 00.

Rhubarb—Per doz, 65@75c.

Kale—Per bbl, $1 25@1 50.

Easter Laurel—Per yard, 5@6c.

Asparagus—Florida, green, per doz, $2 00@2 50; white, $2 00.

Peas—Florida, $2 50@3 00 per crate.

### Tropical Fruits and Nuts.

Limes—Per 100, $1 00.

Lemons—California, $3 00@3 25; Messina, $3 00@3 50.

Pineapples—Florida, per crate, $3 50@4 00.

California figs—Per box, 10-lb, 90c@$1 00.

Cocoanuts—Per bag, $2 75.

Oranges—California navel, $3 50@4 00; seedlings, $2 50@2 75.

Bananas—Per bunch, $1 50@1 75; eights, $1 00@1 25; sevens, 75c@$1 00.

Grape Fruit—Per box, $6 00@7 00.

Dates—Persian, 4c; Fard, 6@6½c per lb.

Figs—5-lb boxes, $1 25@1 50.

Nuts—Almonds, 15c; filberts, 11c; English walnuts, 11@13c; pecans, 12@15c; Brazil nuts, 9c; mixed nuts, 11c; peanuts, jumbos, 7c; fancy hand-picked, 6c; per lb, 4@5c; per bu, 60@65c; per bu; walnuts, per bu, 60@65c; St. John's bread, per lb, 4c; California papershell almonds, 15c; Italian chestnuts, 8c.

### Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

Fairly heavy receipts of eggs brought the market down somewhat more than expected, and selling at 18 cents was freely done yesterday, while 15½ was the price at which eggs were offered in the wholesale. Shipments were not abnormally heavy, but they were large enough to requirements, and the price drop was in keeping with the situation. Eggs in large numbers are being marketed throughout the country, and a drop in prices is quite generally looked for.

Butter and cheese are unchanged.

Butter—Elgin creamery, prints, 26@28½c; do tubs, 24@25½c; Ohio and Pennsylvania creamery, fancy, 24@25c; fancy brands, 23@24c; fresh country roll, 17@18c; cooking butter, 15@16c.

Cheese—New York, full cream, 10@13½c; Ohio, 12½@13c; do cream, Ohio, 11½@12c; Ohio Swiss, 13½@14c; Wisconsin do, 13½@14c; tubs, 13½@16c; 20-lb block cheese, Swiss, 16@16½c; 5-lb brick cheese, 15@15½c; limburger, 13½@14c.

Eggs—Strictly fresh, per doz, 16@17c, selects, 18c.

### Poultry.

Chickens—Live hens, per lb, 12@14c; spring-ers, 15@16c; roosters, 7@8c; ducks, 14@15c; do dressed, 20@22c; hens, dressed, 13@17c; fresh spring dressed, 16@17c; frozen spring broilers, $4 00@4 50 per doz; geese, live, 10@12c; do dressed, 13@14c; ducks, live, 12@13c; do dressed, 17@18c.

### Seeds.

Clover—From store, recleaned, 60-lb bu, small, $7 75@8 85; mammoth, $8 85@9 95; timothy, $4 75@5 00; flaxseed, $1 70@1 80; Alsike, $10 00@10 50; alfalfa, $6 50@6 75; timothy, $3 00@3 50; orchard grass, $1 60@2 75; millet, $1 70@1 75; Hungarian grass, 90@$1 10; lawn grass, 16@20c per lb; Kingrass, 14-lb, $1 50@1 75, red top, 14-lb bu, $1 50@1 75; cow peas, $2 50@2 60; small field peas, $1 50@1 40; Spanish corn, $1 20@1 30; sealing, 75@80c; do (2 20), barley, $1 20@1 30; rye, 90@$1 10; flax, $2 20@2 50.

### Provisions.

Smoked meats—Large hams, 16 lbs and up, 11½c; medium hams, over 14 to 16 lbs, 11½c; small hams, 10 lbs and under, 12c; picnic hams, small hams, 10 lbs and under, 11½c; skinned hams, 12¾c; boneless rolled hams, 13c; California hams, 8½c; shoulders (New York cuts), 9½c; boneless do, 9½c; New York cut, lean bacon (rib), 8 to 10 lbs, 11c; breakfast bacon (rib), 10 to 12 lbs, 10¾c; breakfast bacon (clear), 10 to 12 lbs, 11c, breakfast bacon (clear), back strips, 10¾c.

Dry salt meats—Sides (extra short clears), 9¾c; bellies, over 20 to 25 lbs, 9¾c; bellies, from 16 to 20 lbs, 10¼c; bellies, under 16 lbs, 10¾c.

Lard, refined lard (tierces), 10½c; compound (tierces), 8c. The advance for smaller packages over tierces is as follows: Barrels (about 240 lbs), ½c; half bbls (about 120 lbs), ¾c; 50-lb tubs, net, 40 lbs, ¾c; plain-hard wood tubs, net 50 lbs, ¾c; wooden buckets, net 20 lbs, 1c; 50-lb tin pails, 1c; 20-lb tin pails, 1c; 10-lb tin pails, 1c; 5-lb tin pails (24 in a case), ¼c; 3-lb tin pails (24 in a case), ¼c.

## IN THE MONEY MARKETS.

### Quotations of Commercial Paper at Various Centers.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Prime mercantile paper, 4@6½ per cent. Sterling exchange normal, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 87¾@4 87⅞ for demand and at $4 83½@4 85⅝ for 60 days; posted rates, $4 85½@4 88½. Commercial bills, $4 84½@4 85¼.

### The Treasury and the Banks.

NEW YORK, March 28.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn on the deposits of gold at the Seattle assay office, todays offices of the treasury show the net gain of gold yesterday $353. Total thus paid since last Friday, $30,114, against $16,858 for the same period a week ago. Total payment by government for New York Saturday, $1,734,971; total receipts this day, $1,869,557; total receipts this month, $42,709,395; total receipts this year, $415,201,922; total expenditures today, $594,609; total expenditures this month, $56,425,040; total expenditures this year, $336,167,104; deposits in national banks, $118,380,397.

### Dividends Declared.

The Monongahela Water Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent.

The directors of the Philadelphia Company have declared a quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent, payable April 21, to stockholders of record April 5. Checks will be mailed to stockholders by Treasurer C. J. Braun, Jr.


## IN THE OIL FIELDS.

In the Richwood Run district, Welzel county, W. Va., the Carter Oil Company has completed and shot its No. 7 on the John Willey farm and has a 15-barrel pumper in the Gordon sand.

In the "Little Germany" district, Marshall county, the South Penn Oil Company has completed its No. 9 on the Breiding heirs' farm and has a show for a 75-barrel producer in the Gordon sand. The same company has completed No. 2 on the John Rutan farm and has a very small well. On Fish creek, the South Penn Company has completed its No. 4 on the Smith Richmond farm and has a show for a 25-barrel producer.

In the Big Injun sand development, on the south fork of Hughes river, Ritchie county, the Carter Oil Company has completed its test well on the W. H. Wilson farm and has a duster.

On Sugar creek, Union district, Pleasants county, G. D. Greanlee & Co. have completed No. 17 on the Friend Wagner farm and have a 10-barrel pumper in the Cow Run sand. The Hampton Oil Company has completed its No. 2 on the Oliver Dowell farm and has a show for a very small well in the Cow Run sand. Trainer & Ahren have completed their test well on the J. R. Morgan farm and have a 15-barrel pumper in the

# CHRIST RISEN, THE TOPIC OF ALL PASTORS

## Easter Services of Unusual Beauty in the Churches Tomorrow.

## WEEKS OF PREPARATION

**All Through the Lenten Season the Great Day of Christendom Has Been Looked Forward to and Prepared For.**

Holy week was observed in nearly all the churches of the two cities by special services and sermons. Easter Sunday and the week following will be notable for numerous praise meetings, sermons and festivals. All the pastors have made special efforts during the Lenten season to bring home some strong facts anent the Christian life, and with the dawn of Easter day may well feel that they have performed the duties of their ministry faithfully. Christ triumphant will be on the lips of thousands of pastors tomorrow, and in the twin cities He will be specially praised.

In the Protestant Episcopal and Catholic churches the ceremonies of Easter will be characteristic of these denominations. At 10:30 tomorrow the Rt. Rev. Bishop Phelan will celebrate a pontifical high mass, assisted by the local clergy. The boy choir will sing the processional and recessional. In Trinity church the services will be equally as solemn and magnificent.

In the East Liberty Presbyterian church the Rev. Frank W. Sneed will assume his charge tomorrow, his Easter sermon being his first as pastor. The formal installation, however, will not take place till later in the week. The Rev. Alonzo J. Turkle of Trinity Lutheran church, Allegheny, will continue his series of sermons begun last week. Rabbi J. Leonard Levy of the Reform Congregation Rodeph Shalom, in Eighth street, is, as usual, fully awake to the needs of the season. He will preach tomorrow morning on "A Jewish View of Easter," which has promise of being both interesting and instructive. During the service, which is entirely in English, a number of solos will be played by Mme. Rossini. Mr. Mierck and Mr. Van der Hein of the Pittsburgh orchestra. The sermons of tomorrow are all interesting and, of course, have apparently been inspired by the great Easter festival.

### United Presbyterian Churches.

Braddock, G. E. Hawes—10:45, communion; 7:30, "The Christian's Hope."

First, Allegheny, G. W. Robinson—11, W. F. Crafts, D. D.; 7:30, the pastor.

Shiloh Avenue, Thomas Watters—10:30, "Life's Visions;" 3, "Home Missions."

Fourth, H. H. Martin—11, "Proof of the Resurrection;" 7:45, "Prepare to Meet Thy God."

Ninth, J. R. Milligan—11, "Resurrection—Christ the First Fruits;" 7:45, "The Lord and the Leper."

Eleventh, Allegheny, C. F. Wishart—10:45, "A Died Day in Jerusalem;" 7:45, "Saints in Satan's House."

Mt. Washington, R. H. Hood—11, "Beautifying God's House;" 7:30, sermon by the Rev. D. McCown.

Ingram, J. E. Wishart—11, "The Resurrection Body;" 7:45, "The Saints Who Arose When Jesus Died."

Thirty-third Street, A. Flick—11, "The Power of His Resurrection;" 7:30, "The Right Use of the Ears."

Knoxville, W. H. McMurray—11, "Resurrection;" 7:45, thank offering and sermon by the Rev. J. A. Burnett.

Sixth, R. M. Russell—11, "Remember Jesus Christ, Risen From the Dead;" 7:45, "Our Boys in the Risen Lord."

Third, J. T. McCrory—10:45, "The Message of the Revolutionists;" 7:45, "The Challenge of the Preacher to Infidels."

Shadyside, J. K. McClurkin—11, "Resurrection and Joy," by the pastor; 7:45, annual missionary sermon by the Rev. W. R. Wilson.

Larimer Avenue mission, W. A. Phillips—11, "Troublesome Problems of the Resurrection;" 7:45, "Ambrose and Episcopal Authority."

Twelfth, Allegheny, I. G. McCreary—11, report of Toronto Student Volunteer convention by R. B. Muller; 7:45, "A Question of Profit and Loss."

### Presbyterian Churches.

Point Breeze, W. S. Fulton—11 and 7:45.

Grace Memorial, M. B. Lanier—11, 3 and 8.

Arlington Heights, T. B. Shoemaker—7:30, Easter services.

Avalon, C. H. Dunlap—10:45 and 7:45, special Easter services.

First, M. Alexander—7:45, "Jesus Christ an Ever Living Saviour."

Wilkinsburg, Thomas Parry—11, Easter services; 7:45, evening services.

Herron Avenue, H. R. MacHatton—10:45 and 7:45, the Rev. S. J. Wallace.

Sixth, J. S. Nicholls—10:30, "Resurrection of Life;" 7:30, "Proving the Master."

Bellevue, W. A. Raulston—11, "The Resurrection;" 7:30, "Christ the First Fruits."

Second, S. Edward Young—10:30 and 7:30, Dr. James D. Moffat of W. and J. college.

Bellefield, H. T. McClelland—11, "An Easter communion;" 7:45, "A Garden of Mysteries."

McCandless Avenue, H. D. Ewing—10:30, "The Open Sepulchre;" 7:30, evening services.

Park Avenue, H. B. Hummel—11, "The Resurrection a Fact;" 7:45, "The Twilight Gospel."

South Side, S. A. Hunter—10:45, "The God of the Living;" 7:30, "Belief in the Resurrection."

Millvale, G. M. McCampbell—10:30, "My Flesh Shall Rest in Hope;" 7:30, Easter musical service.

Forty-third Street, U. S. Grooves—10:30, "Thy Kingdom Come;" 7:30, "The Conversion of a Harlot."

East Liberty, Frank W. Sneed—New pastor assumes charge; sermons at morning and evening service.

Mt. Washington, C. S. McClelland—10:30, "Jesus the Resurrection and Life;" 7:45, "Recognition of Friends in Heaven."

Central, Allegheny—11, "The Resurrection Essential to Christian Faith;" 7:45, "Nature of Christian Service," both sermons my Prof. James A. Kelso.

### Methodist Episcopal Churches.

Centenary, N. L. Brown—10:30, "the Rev. C. W. Hill;" 7:30, usual services.

West End, G. W. Terbush—10:30, "A Better Country;" 7:45, Epworth league.

Christ, Henry Baker—11, "The Easter Creed;" 7:45, the Rev. W. F. Crafts, D. D.

Smithfield Street, W. H. W. Rees—11, "The Keys of the Grave;" 8, "A Palm in the Desert."

Buena Vista, S. M. Mackey—10:30, "The Resurrection;" 7:30, "Christ's Revelation of Heaven."

Pacific Avenue, A. S. Blackmore—"Two Angels in the Tomb;" 7:45, "The Resurrection and the Life."

Washington Avenue, J. T. Stoffy—10:30, ordinance of baptism and sermon; 7:30, children's Easter service.

Fifth Avenue, E. M. Wood—11, "The Power of the Resurrection;" 7:30, "Risen With Christ, Or Seeking the Highest."

Union Centenary, Shadyside, O. H. P. Garland—10:45, Easter sermon; 7:30, "The Sense of Obligation to the Father."

Pleasant Valley, Allegheny, J. M. Pascoe—10:30, "The Certainty of Christ's Death and Resurrection;" 7:30, "Easter Lessons."

North Avenue, Allegheny, E. L. Eaton—10:30, "Ancient Value of the Resurrection;" 7:30, "Present Value of the Resurrection."

Calvary, Allegheny, J. M. Trobum—10:30, "Workers in the Wake of Christ;" 7:30, stereopticon service—India's missions and missionaries.

### Baptist Churches.

Fourth Avenue, L. C. Barnes—10:30, "Life;" 7:45, "After Life."

First, Belleview, J. C. Wilkinson—11, "The Lilies;" 7:45, "The Even Song."

Union, J. M. Thomas—10:30, "The Resurrection;" 7:30, "Eternal Hope."

Forty-fourth Street, T. Griffiths—10:45, "The Resurrection;" 7:30, "A Contrast."

Tabernacle, C. D. Patterson—10:30, the Rev. J. W. Payne; 7:30, the Rev. J. Smith.

Oakland, A. B. Stark—10:45, "The Power of the Resurrection;" 7:45, Easter music.

Beltzhoover, J. S. Hutson—10:30, "The Power of Resurrection;" 7:30, baptismal services.

Mt. Washington, D. F. DeLaney—10:45, "The Lord is Risen;" 7:45, evening service.

Carmel, J. V. Stratton—10:30, "Nature's Parable of the Resurrection;" 7:30, Seeking God."

Emmanuel, Allegheny, J. N. Williams—10:30, "The Resurrection;" 7:30, "Why Did the Christ Suffer?"

Fifth Avenue, T. E. Jepson—11, "The Lord is Risen Indeed;" 7:45, "Woman, Why Weepest Thou?"

First McKeesport—10:30, "The Doctrinal Place of Christ's Resurrection;" 7:30, "Mary Magdalene."

Shady Avenue, W. A. Stanton—11, "Circumstantial Evidences of Jesus' Resurrection;" 7:30, "Three Resurrections for Man."

Chatham Street, E. M. Jones—10:30 (Welsh), "The Resurrection Credible;" 7:30 (English), "The Glorious Body of the Resurrection."

### Christian Churches.

First, Walter C. Gibbs—11, "The Meaning of the Resurrection;" 7:45, Easter entertainment.

McKees Rocks, H. F. Lutz—10:45, "Our Source of Power;" 7:30, "The Way of Salvation."

Bellevue, J. H. Craig—11, "Among the Tombs of the Great;" 7:45, "The Spirit of Easter."

Knoxville, Fred M. Gordon—10:45, "The First Easter Morning;" 7:30, "Serving God and Mammon."

Observatory Hill, J. A. Jayne—10:30, "The Hearts Eastertide;" 7:45, "The Young Man and His Familiars—His Friends."

East End, W. J. Russell—11, "Did Jesus Our Lord Rise from the Dead?" 7:45, "Choosing a Vocation, and How to Follow It."

Central, C. L. Thurgood—10:30, "Beyond the Grave, or a Walk With Jesus;" 7:45, "What Is the Place of the Resurrection in the Gospel?"

### Lutheran Churches.

Bethany, John Weidley—11, communion; 7:45, "Death Conquered."

First, D. H. Geissinger—10:45, communion; 7:30, children's Easter vespers.

Calvary, Wilkinsburg, J. B. Markward—11, communion and reception; 7:45, services.

Bethel, Allegheny, C. B. King—10:30, communion and reception; 7:45, Easter services.

Trinity, Allegheny, A. J. Turkle—10:45, "Awakening of Hope;" 7:45, "An Abiding Easter."

St. Paul's, Allegheny, A. R. Kildell—10:45, "He Lives;" 7:45, "The Broken Temple Rezed on the Third Day."

### Methodist Protestant Churches.

Fourth, J. C. Broomfield—10:45, "Risen With Christ;" 7:30, sermon to Odd Fellows.

Springdale, J. K. Mariness—10:30, "Acceptance in the Beloved;" 7:30, evening service.

Mt. Washington, J. W. Righter—10:30, "Importance of Resurrection;" 7:30, Sunday school Easter service.

### Congregational Churches.

Puritan, George Marsh—10:30, "The Risen Christ;" 7:30, "Two Beautiful Easter Scenes."

First, Braddock, W. F. Slade—11, "The Empty Tomb;" 7:30, "If a Man Die, Shall He Live Again?"

First, Allegheny, Thomas Clayton—10:30, "Are All Men Immortal?" 7:30, special Easter service by choir.

### Reformed Churches.

Allegheny, A. C. Diffenbach—3:30, "The Higher Immortality."

St. Mark's, J. G. Walter—11, Holy communion; 7:30, Easter praise service.

Grace, J. H. Prugh—10:45, "The Easter Message;" 7:45, "Which I Have Loved Long Since and Have Lost Awhile."

### Protestant Episcopal Churches.

Church of the Good Shepherd, A. Alexander 10:30, sermon; 7:30, children's Easter festival.

St. James', W. E. Allen—10:30, sermon by the rector; 7:30, annual Easter festival of the children—special music.

### Unitarian Churches.

First, L. Walter Mason—10:45, "Attaining to the Resurrection."

### Christian Science Churches.

First Church of Christian Scientists—11 and 8, "Unreality."

### Miscellaneous.

Wylie Avenue church, C. H. Pridgeon—10:45, 3 and 8.

First Church of Spiritualists, Allegheny—G. C. Day—2:45 and 7:45.

Carnegie hall, Allegheny—7:30, "Hell, What Is It?" by Evangelist C. S. Longacre.

Church of God, J. L. Updegraph—11, "He Liveth;" 7:45, "Promise for the Present."

Wesley chapel, North Braddock—10:30, The Rev. Maurice Ruben; 7:30, the Rev. Gordon Miller.

House of the New Covenant, Mission to the Jews, Maurice Ruben—2:30, "A Living Savior."

Rodeph Shalom Reform Congregation, J. Leonard Levy—10:30, "A Jewish View of Easter."

Young Women's Christian association—5, "Easter," by Miss Cornelia Trimble. Music by association choir.

Young Men's Christian Association—4, sermon to young men by Jas. P. Orr, general freight agent of the Pennsylvania Company.


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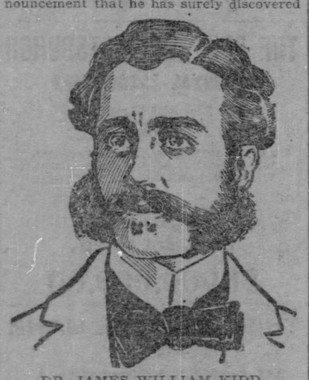

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## PREPARING FOR THEIR ENTERTAINMENT HERE

**Organization of One Thousand Railroad Men Will Hold Their Convention in This City in June.**

The fifteenth annual convention of the Train Dispatchers' Association of America will be held in this city during the third week in June. Pittsburgh was selected for this year's convention on account of its importance as a railroad center. The choice is fortunate on account of the recent abolition of exchange passes in trunk line territory. It would have been necessary for the delegates to pay their fares at least part way, if the convention city had been located either east or west of Pittsburgh.

Local preparations are already under way for the proper entertainment of the visitors. It is thought that the Monongahela house, the headquarters for many railroad conventions, will be made the center of this one. There will be held the business sessions and the banquet, while the numerous side trips to industrial plants in the Pittsburgh district will be furnished by the Pittsburgh railroads acting as hosts. These plans are now being worked out in detail.

The association has now nearly 1,000 members, distributed over all parts of North America. Nearly every important railroad line on the continent is represented in the association, and the conventions are fruitful in instruction in new methods of conducting the business of the dispatcher.

The organization publishes a monthly magazine, entitled The Bulletin, which deals with railroad matters in general, but pays particular attention to the interpretation of train orders. The publication has a wide circulation among railroad men generally, and is more than self-supporting. Its editor is a veteran railroad dispatcher, T. P. Mackie, of the Chicago offices of the Rock Island. For a number of years he has been also secretary and treasurer.

**Then the Commission Got Busy.**

There is a quiet laugh going around railroad circles over one of the developments of the recent activity in enforcing the interstate commerce laws as regards the Louisville & Nashville. About a month ago Walker D. Hines, vice president and general manager of that road, published an article on the situation severely censuring the interstate commerce commission for its negligence in enforcing the laws. Almost immediately afterward the commission became very busy and the result is that several officials of the road are now under indictment by the federal grand jury for violations of the statutes. In addition it is announced that immediately after the coming investigation at Chicago, opening April 1, the commission will meet at Louisville to investigate complaints there by the Stock Yards Company alleging discrimination. More trouble is in store for the Louisville & Nashville if the charges are sustained. Mr. Hines has not yet cried enough.

JOHN P. MANN,
Of Ennis, Tex., President Train Dispatchers' Association.

**'Frisco's Coast Line a Sure Thing.**

All doubt as to the intentions of the 'Frisco system to extend to the Pacific coast has been removed by the open statement of Thomas F. West, attorney for the system in Texas, that the line will certainly be built from Quanah, Tex., to the coast. Mr. West accompanied President Yoakum on his recent visit to the coast and is in touch with the plans of the management. The line will go by way of Albuquerque, it is stated. To what point on the coast the line will be extended is not yet settled, or at least not ready for announcement, but Los Angeles is generally believed to be the destination.

**RAILROAD NOTES.**

C. W. Bassett, general passenger agent of the Pittsburgh & Western lines, returned yesterday from a week's vacation at French Lick Springs, Ind.

Ford Wood, general freight agent of the Peoria & Eastern division of the Big Four, is expected to be in Pittsburgh today.

E. C. Dunnavant, city passenger agent of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, will arrive home this morning from a southern trip.

The Pittsburgh & Lake Erie announces that the case of I. H. Lorch, the agent at Glassport, who is alleged to be a defaulter for about $1,500, has been placed in the hands of the bonding company. The bonds cover the full amount of the default.

The death of Walter H. Devries, assistant ticket agent of the Baltimore & Ohio at the city office, caused much regret among his many railroad friends. A floral offering will be sent by them as a remembrance.


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## FEAR OF LEGISLATURE BLOCKS FINAL ACTION

**Western Maryland Sale Likely Postponed Until Lawmakers Adjourn on Monday Next.**

The greatest local interest still attaches to every move on the part of the rival bidders for the Western Maryland railroad. The real contest has narrowed down by present appearances, to the Fuller and Varney syndicates. In the event of either being successful, it is believed the long-talked-of Wabash connection to the seaboard will be made. If the Varney bid is accepted it means a new line across the southern side of Pennsylvania to Chambersburg, and the use of the West Side Belt Line for the Pittsburgh end of the deal, with the Wabash for a western connection. If the Fuller bid is the one chosen it means the extension of the local line of the Wabash from Pittsburgh to Cumberland, where the connection with the West Virginia Central and the proposed Cumberland-Cherry Run line will be made.

Meanwhile the Reading, which is also one of the bidders, and exceedingly anxious lest another system should secure the Western Maryland, is said to be ready to make a better bid than any so far offered. The Varney syndicate also will now make a bid of $11,000,000 cash instead of part cash and part bonds, if Baltimore reports are to be credited.

Monday the Maryland legislature will adjourn. Until that time Mayor Hayes of Baltimore is said to fear taking final action on the acceptance of any of the bids, the possibility of hostile legislation at this critical period being too threatening.

There is every indication that the Goulds favor the Fuller syndicate rather than the Varney. Representatives of the Goulds flatly deny, however, that any interest at all is being taken in the Western Maryland deal by that system.

**Coupon-Pass Plan Referred.**

Col. Samuel Moody, assistant general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines, and L. A. Robison, general passenger agent of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, both returned yesterday from the meeting of the joint passenger committee in New York this week. The question of adopting a coupon book for the use of representatives of central territory roads traveling in trunk line territory was referred back to the executive officials. The matter of allowing reduced rates for excursions to eastern points to offset the similar rates to western points was favorably considered and the matter will be taken up at once.

Mr. Robison announces that the next meeting of the passenger officials of the New York Central lines will be held in this city May 20. This is the first time Pittsburgh has had all the Vanderbilt general passenger agents as guests. The fine new terminal building of the Lake Erie now offers facilities for their entertainment as good as could be found anywhere. The visiting officials will be given a ride over the Lake Erie lines to show the industrial plants and other points of interest.

**H. P. Lincoln Now Superintendent.**

Henry P. Lincoln, who has been for some time past principal assistant engineer of the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley division of the Pennsylvania railroad at Buffalo, will on April 1 become superintendent of the Elmira & Canandaigua division of the Northern Central, to succeed Cecil A. Preston. Mr. Preston becomes superintendent of the eastern division of the Philadelphia & Erie, succeeding the late C. B. Westfall. Mr. Lincoln is well-known in this city, having been an assistant supervisor on both the Pittsburgh and Monongahela divisions of the road. He is 44 years old, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, and has been with the Pennsylvania railroad during his entire service of 22 years, working up, as usual, through the engineering department.

## IS EXTENDING ITS WORK.

**Society of Free Maternity Hospital Service of Pennsylvania to Reach Pittsburgh.**

One of the most practical and effective of charities will soon begin active operations in this city. This is the Free Maternity Hospital service of Pennsylvania. Originally established with headquarters in Philadelphia, it is rapidly extending its work, throughout the state, and within the next ten days will establish a branch in Pittsburgh. A number of mite boxes will be placed in stores and mercantile establishments of the city, into which the charitably disposed may drop their contribution to the fund of the society.

Arrangements will be made with the hospitals to receive the cases recommended by the society, and a number of physicians will receive appointments as assistant medical directors, whose duty it will be to investigate cases and report to the society whether they are worthy of aid from this source. They will receive a fee for each examination.

As far as possible the work of aiding the poor mothers will be carried on in their own homes, and the fact that they are receiving aid will be kept secret, the object being to dispense needed charity, without pauperizing the recipient.

Each patient who is being treated at home will be privileged to select her own physician and nurse, and the expense will be borne by the society. In order to participate in the benefits the prospective mother must fill out a blank, at least 30 days in advance, and this application must be signed by two responsible citizens. The blanks can be had on application to the medical directors of the association. Dr. J. J. Mullen, of No. 409 South Highland avenue, has been appointed the first assistant medical examiner for Pittsburgh, and will look out for applicants for aid from the society.


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